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Spring Hill Nurseries

TREES, PLANTS and
SEEDS THAT GROW

Tippecanoe City
Miami Co. Ohio

PUSSY
WILLOW

A Promise of Springtime

PUSSY WILLOW (*Salix Caprae*)

(Not the Wild Pussy Willow)

A cultivated variety of Pussy Willow that has made a sensation wherever it has been shown. Branches of this variety have been selling at retail during the winter months in bunches at from \$1.50 to \$3.00 per dozen.

Grow Them on Your Own
Lawn

Enjoy these luscious Salix branches every winter. A single branch will shrub in summer. We grow a variety of sizes. Large or Small. Single or Double. Pussy Willow. For the small screens or tucked in.

Plant one or more of them this spring. Cut the willow in the branches next January or February. Place them in a vase of water. Watch them grow and their large catkins of silver down from 1 to 2 inches long. They will retain a green color through the winter or in the spring.

PRICES \$1.00 each
3 for \$2.75
minimum 6 for \$5.00

Size of plants 4 to 5 feet

Only mother willow knows
How to make such suits as these
Fuzzy little friends that bring
Promise of the coming spring.



RELIABLE TIME TRIED PEACHES

Peaches for 8 Weeks

We are offering on this page, four varieties of peaches, that time has proven to be the best and most reliable peaches grown.

Poor success is sometimes had with peaches because some varieties, while they may do well in one section of the country in other sections they are a failure.

For good results, we especially recommend these varieties as being sure to give satisfaction, and fruit for eight weeks.

Elberta

The old reliable peach of which more has been planted, and from which more money has been made than any other variety.

It will keep longer, ship and handle better and sell more readily than any peach grown.

Fruit is extra large, golden yellow with brilliant shade of red. Juicy, rich and sweet. Freestone. MIDDLE OF AUGUST.

J. H. Hale

A wonderful peach, even larger than the Elberta and very productive. Enormous crops of this variety have been grown both north and south. A delicious yellow fleshed freestone peach. Its size, beauty, solidity, texture and flavor cannot be duplicated. LATE AUGUST AND EARLY SEPTEMBER.

Kalamazoo

A beautiful peach that will bear good crops of fruit when all other varieties fail. The surest cropper that we know of. A very good quality, yellow fleshed variety. FIRST OF AUGUST.

Salway

A mighty fine late peach and especially recommended for canning. It is also to be recommended for the quality of its fruit, productiveness under all kinds of conditions of soil and climate and because the fruit ripens late after other varieties can not be had. MIDDLE OF SEPTEMBER.

Low Prices

4 Trees, 1 each of above 4 varieties,	2 to 3 ft.	\$1.15
8 " 2 " " " " "	2 to 3 ft.	2.30
12 " 3 " " " " "	2 to 3 ft.	3.30
4 " 1 " " " " "	3 to 4 ft.	1.80
8 " 2 " " " " "	3 to 4 ft.	3.55
12 " 3 " " " " "	3 to 4 ft.	5.20
100 Trees, your choice of varieties,	2 to 3 ft---	20.00
100 " " " " " "	3 to 4 ft---	35.00
25 " " " " " "	4 to 6 ft---	16.25

TIPPECANOE CITY, (MIAMI COUNTY) OHIO

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SPRING HILL NURSERIES

ANNOUNCEMENT

WE ARE again coming to you through the pages of our annual catalogue. In the last 70 years or more it has been a pleasure for three generations of one family to serve many thousands of people with good things from the Spring Hill Nurseries.

With us a tradition has grown around this business, and we are using this opportunity to express the sentiments that govern our activities.

We feel that we are offering you more than just trees, plants and bulbs. We are offering bulbs which have that within themselves, when planted in the earth, that destines them to burst their bounds, and send upward toward the light, the tender shoots which shall make the stalk, the stem, and flower. Each hour of the day will mark their growth. And yet so measured their progress that no one day can be distinguished from the other. Each day is bound and welded into one common process that leads to the crowning glory—the Lily.

Who can say that this is the product of the earth, the rain or the sun? Within the tiny bulbs we sell are held the latent possibilities of purest white and softest green. It is the work of nature.

We offer rose bushes which appear as so much thorny wood and coarse roots, but when planted the tiny spark of life which it possesses will cause it to unfold that queen of all flowers—the Rose. Its perfume is the wondrous product of its growth.

We offer tiny seeds, but to us they are more than seeds. Carefully selected, with due consideration to the natural law which ordains that like produces like, these tiny seeds will produce a tomato, a cucumber or a zinnia, which is the result of many years of care and experience in hastening and assisting nature in her natural process of selection.

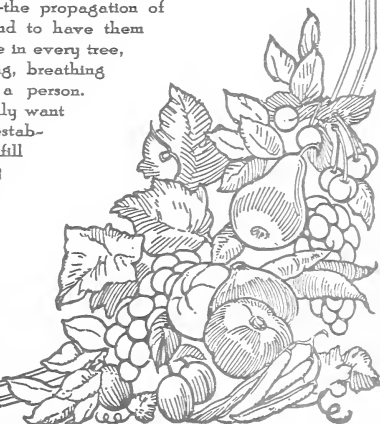
We offer you more than seeds; we offer you so many germs of life that will produce for you wonderful colors, exotic perfumes, dainty flowers and the tastiest of vegetables.

We offer grapes with short, rough stems and roots. But we see in them much more than grapes. We see long ago when nature with the bees and the wind brought forth a chance seedling somewhat better than the wild strain. We see the result of nature, assisted by man, giving to the human race over one hundred varieties that are far superior to anything of past years.

As nurserymen, we are proud of our work in life—the propagation of these wonderful sparks of life; to better them and to have them readily available for the human race. We see in every tree, shrub, plant or vine we offer you, a living, breathing organism that is just as individual as a person.

Feeling so about our work, we naturally want to see every plant that leaves our establishment grow and produce and fulfill its mission in life. When it does

not do so, we want to know
it, for we shall survive
only as we serve.



General Information

OUR GUARANTEE:—All the stock which is shipped from our nurseries is guaranteed to be true to name, size specified, best quality, good, clean, healthy and first class. It is guaranteed to reach you in good condition. If at any time found not to conform to the above guarantee, we will replace with stock, free of charge, or will gladly refund your money. It is mutually agreed and understood however between ourselves and purchaser, that we cannot be held responsible for a greater amount than the original cost of the goods.

CORRECTION OF ERRORS—The utmost care to have your order filled correctly is exercised, but in the rush of the season errors will sometimes occur, and it will be appreciated if you will notify us at once of such error.

PRICES:—Prices quoted in this Catalogue annul and supersede all previous price lists.
All prices are F. O. B. Tippecanoe City, except where noted.

REMITTANCE:—Remittance should accompany order. Kindly remit the way most convenient to you.

LOCATION:—The Spring Hill Nurseries are located on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and the Dayton and Troy Electric Ry., 14 miles north of Dayton and one mile east of the Dixie Highway.

SHIPPING:—Transportation charges on all goods shipped from our Nurseries are to be paid by the purchaser, unless otherwise arranged. All Seeds are quoted at postpaid prices. If stock is received in damaged condition have the express or freight agent make the notation on the bill and notify us.

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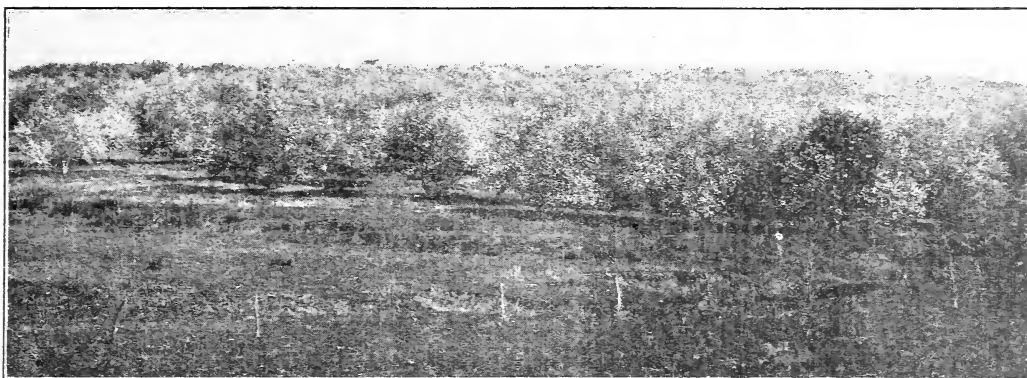
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Suitable Distances for Planting

	Feet		Feet
Apples, Standard.....	30 to 40	Grapes.....	8 to 10
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Pears, Standard.....	18 to 20	Gooseberries.....	3 to 4
Pears, Dwarf.....	10	Raspberries, Red.....	3 to 4
Peaches.....	16 to 18	Raspberries, Black.....	4 to 5
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Cherries, Sweet.....	18 to 20	Strawberries, rows.....	1 by 3½
Cherries, Sour.....	15 to 18	Strawberries, beds.....	1½ by 1½
Plums.....	16 to 20	Asparagus, in beds.....	1 by 1½
Quinces.....	10 to 12	Asparagus, in field.....	1 by 3
Catapa Speciosa.....	6 to 8	Black Locust.....	4 by 6

RULE—Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows, and the product will be the number of square feet for each plant or hill, which, divided into the number of feet in an acre (43,560), will give the number of plants or trees to the acre.

FRUIT DEPARTMENT



THIS ORCHARD PRODUCES LARGE PROFITS EACH YEAR

APPLES

It is a recognized fact that of all fruits the apple is the most important, as it may be had fresh the year round, which is not the case with any other fruit.

By careful selection of varieties in regard to their time of ripening, apples may be had fresh from the tree from early summer until late Fall; and from the cellar or storage until the next season's crop is ready for use. Surely the Apple has been rightly called "The King of the Fruits."

Apples are no longer considered a luxury, but have become a staple article of food and the demand for them is increasing faster than the supply. America is the greatest apple producing country on the globe, and must be depended upon to supply, not only the increasing demand of our own country, but the foreign markets as well.

Farmers and fruit growers have found that orchards well cared for have given larger net returns per acre, during a series of years, than any other crops they have grown. There never has been a time when an orchard could be planted with a greater assurance of profit than now.

The man who plants good trees of the varieties suited to his soil, location and market, and gives them the proper care, will realize a handsome profit.

THE VARIETIES LISTED IN THIS CATALOG ARE THOSE WHICH HAVE STOOD THE TEST. You may make your selection from this list with the assurance that you are getting the benefit of years of experience of others in this line.

Prices of All Varieties of 2-Year-Old Trees

FIRST CLASS	Each	10	25	100
3 to 4 feet.....	\$0.50	\$4.50	\$10.00	\$35.00
4 to 5 feet.....	.70	6.50	16.00	50.00
5 to 7 feet.....	1.00	9.00	22.00	82.50

Prices of All Varieties of 1-Year-Old Trees

FIRST CLASS	Each	10	25	100
2 to 3 feet.....	\$0.25	\$2.00	\$4.00	\$15.00
3 to 4 feet.....	.40	3.25	6.50	25.00
4 to 5 feet.....	.50	4.25	10.00	30.00

For list of varieties of one-year-old Apples see page 10.

A CONVINCING COMPARISON

When apples are worth more than oranges, and when an apple orchard produces twice as much fruit as an orange grove, and when an apple orchard costs less than an orange grove, and fortunes are made on oranges, does it not stand to reason that there is a fortune in apples?

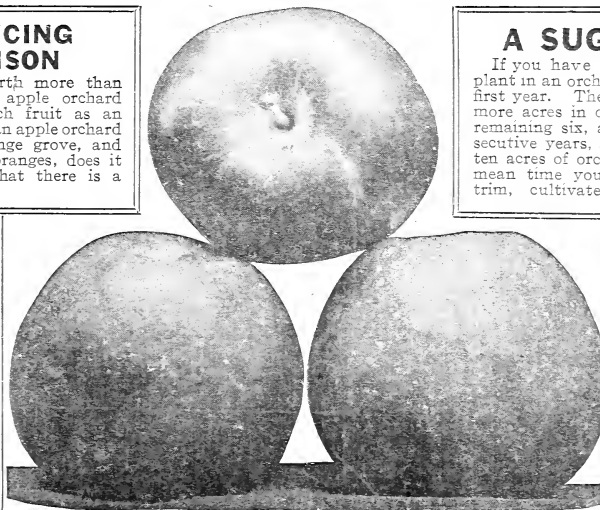
October 8, 1923.

Dear Sir: I received my trees and strawberries in excellent condition last Spring.

This is October 8th, and we are picking some strawberries every day from your progressive strawberry plants. You sure keep your word, nice trees, good roots and well packed, too.

I sent you another order of \$9.00 because I am so pleased with the first one.

Yours very truly,
FRANK DENUITE,
Gillespie, Illinois.



A SUGGESTION

If you have ten acres that you can plant in an orchard, plant two acres the first year. The second year plant two more acres in orchard, cultivating the remaining six, and so on for five consecutive years, and you will have your ten acres of orchard planted. In the mean time you have learned how to trim, cultivate and care for your orchard. Profits of \$200, \$300 and even \$600 per acre yearly for apple orchards have not been unusual in the past, and will be more common in the future.

**EVERY
CUSTOMER
MUST BE
SATISFIED**

STAYMAN'S WINESAP

SUMMER APPLES

LIST OF VARIETIES

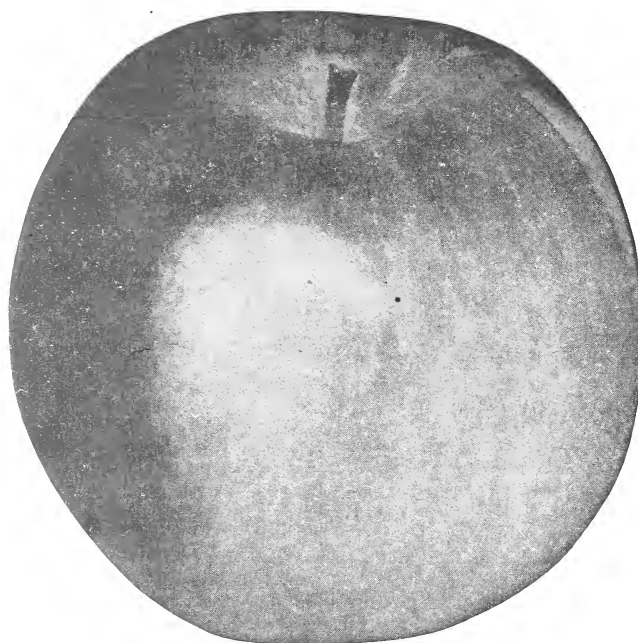
Duchess of Oldenburg

The most profitable mid-summer apple. Downing has the following to say of the Duchess: "This handsome Russian apple proves one of the most hardy and profitable varieties in cultivation, especially in our north-western sections." The tree is vigorous, forming a roundish, upright spreading head, requiring little or no pruning, and producing abundantly, a fruit of fair, even and regular size, always commanding a ready sale. The fruit is very attractive, skin smooth, finely washed and streaked with red on a golden or yellow ground. Owing to the habit of growth these trees may be planted somewhat closer than many other varieties, comes into bearing unusually young, about the third or fourth year.

Early Harvest

Much prized by the housewife. The Early Harvest has been in cultivation for more than one hundred years and this is a proof of its excellence. It is a very early variety, ripens in July and August. It is desirable for the home orchard because of its earliness and its excellence for dessert and culinary purposes. One of the best authorities has the following to say: "The Early Harvest, an American apple and taking into account its beauty, its excellent qualities for the dessert and for cooking and its productiveness, we think it the finest early apple yet known." Fruit is medium size to large; the skin tender, very smooth, clear pale waxen yellow. Flesh white, rather fine, crisp, tender, juicy, at first briskly sub-acid, but eventually becoming milder and more agreeable for dessert. The tree is a vigorous grower and a regular bearer. Every family should grow this apple for dessert use before the later varieties ripen.

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DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG

Golden Sweet

Fruit of good medium size, attractive, clear, rich, sweet, very good in flavor and quality. Principally for home use. Tree a good grower, is healthy and hardy, and yields moderate crops biennially. August and September.

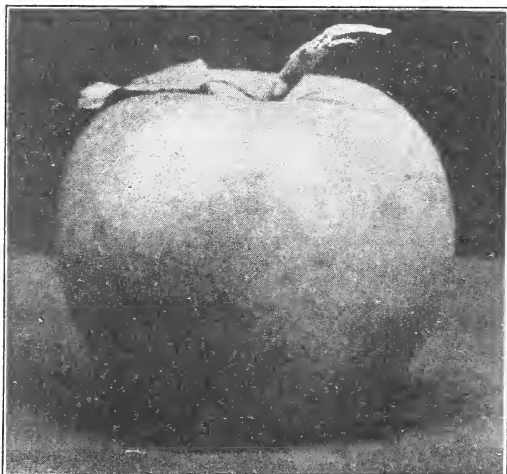
Red Astrachan

A very beautiful, early summer apple of good medium size; skin almost entirely covered with deep crimson, presenting a striped appearance. Flesh white, crisp, moderately juicy, with an agreeable, rich, acid flavor. Tree is a vigorous upright grower, coming into bearing early. Can be grown anywhere in the United States. Ripens last of July to the middle of August.

Yellow Transparent

The earliest summer apple. The greatest home or market apple, the money-maker of summer apples, known to net over \$750.00 per acre annually. By many this is considered the best of all extra-early apples and comes into market when the demand for summer apples is extra strong; consequently it always brings the best prices. The Yellow Transparent is a hardy, beautiful, clear yellow Russian apple. It is medium sized, uniform shape, round, tapering slightly at the blossom end. The flesh is white, fine grained, sub-acid and pleasant. A good quality for eating and the very best for cooking. The skin smooth, waxy, creamy yellow with a clearness from which it gets the name "Transparent." The tree is vigorous and a straight, upright, compact grower and very hardy. It comes into bearing the third or fourth year and is a reliable cropper every year. It is adapted to all apple soils and climates. This apple should be extensively planted and can be used to advantage as fillers. Its upright habit of growth permits it to occupy the land between the permanent trees without injury to them. Another value, perhaps its greatest, is its extremely early and prolific bearing.

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YELLOW TRANSPARENT

Dayton, Ohio, September 18, 1923.

Spring Hill Nursery Co.,

Dear Sirs: Just a few lines regarding my last order of nursery stock. Well, I sent for 25 apple trees and I am very proud to let you know that each and every one is growing nicely, and that some of them are nearly 7 feet tall. Will be glad to get new catalog, as I am making out a list of things to send for in the Spring.

Thanking you in return, I am, yours truly,

CLARENCE CUNNINGHAM,

R. R. No. 8, Dayton, O.

FALL APPLES

Fall Rambo

One of the most popular Fall or Early Winter apples. Highly valuable for kitchen or table use. Fruit medium in size, flat, smooth, yellowish-white in shade streaked with pale red in the sun. October to December.

Fall Pippin

Tree is a very vigorous, strong grower, upright spreading. Fruit is, very large, smooth, yellowish-green, becoming a fine yellow with often a tinge of brownish blush on one side. Flesh white, very tender and mellow, with a rich, aromatic flavor. Very good. October to December. It is very good for table or cooking.

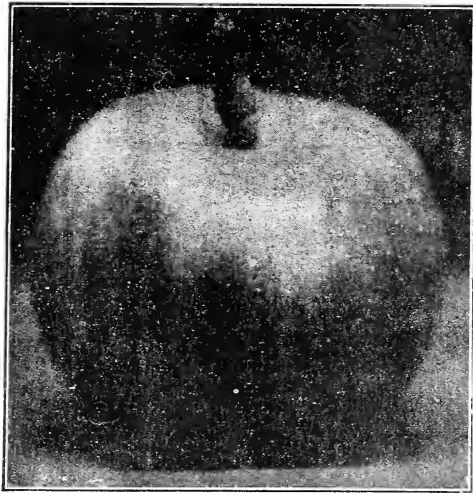
Fameuse

(Snow Apple)—An old and well-known variety, ripens in late fall, and keeps until the holidays. It is well known in market, and during its season it usually sells above average market prices, particularly if well colored and free from scab or other imperfections. It keeps well in cold storage. The tree is vigorous, hardy, succeeds especially well in the North, and bears enormous crops. The fruit is of medium size, smooth and regular, deep crimson, with snowy-white, tender, melting flesh, slightly perfumed, of delightful flavor. It is one of the most desirable dessert apples of its season. November to January.

Maiden Blush

This oldtime tested apple is one of the most beautiful and productive of the Fall apples. It has been popular in the household and on the market for years. It is of good uniform size. The color is a bright lemon-yellow with a deep crimson blush spreading over one cheek. The flesh is white, crisp, tender, very juicy. It is a good eating apple and fine for cooking and drying. Tree vigorous, spreading, and often comes into bearing young. It is long-lived and has been generally planted over the United States and will succeed anywhere. August to October.

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WEALTHY

Wealthy

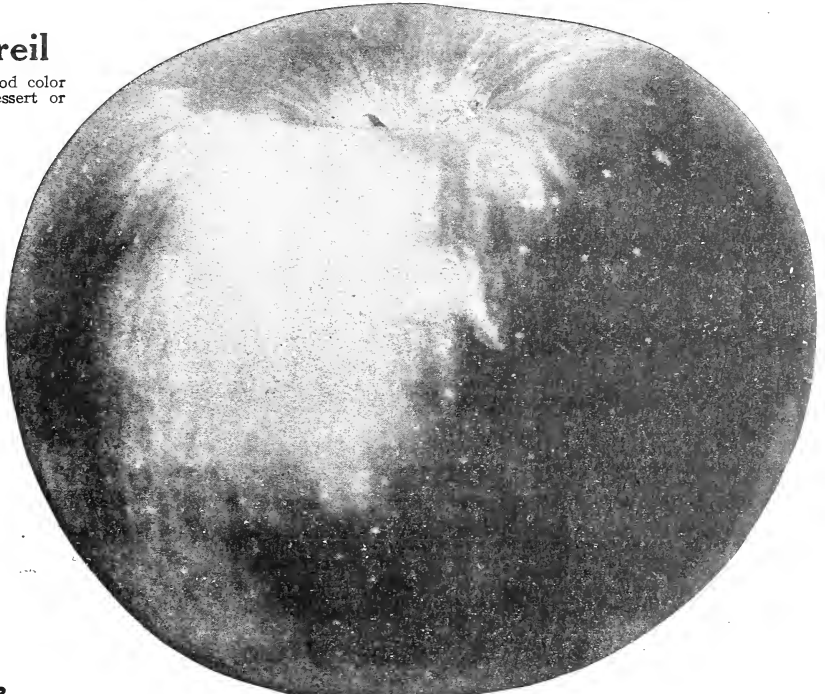
The best money maker of its season. This is by far the most valuable of all the Fall apples. Tree has proven hardy, vigorous and healthy. The fruit is a brilliant red, distinctly marked with narrow stripes and splashes of deeper red. The quality of the fruit is superb. Those who prefer an apple that is tart and juicy regard the Wealthy as the finest apple that is grown. The flesh is white, tender, crisp, fine-grained, aromatic and very good. The tree is a free grower, very hardy with stout branches. Bears fourth to fifth year. It is adapted to many soils and climates but has been planted most extensively in the upper Mississippi Valley where its hardiness is of the greatest importance. It is a good shipper and holds up well in storage for an early fall apple. Can often be held for the holiday trade. The Wealthy is likely the best late fall or early winter apple that can be used as a filler to occupy the extra space while the permanent trees are coming into bearing. Plant Wealthy for profit as well as for home use. October to January.

Ohio Nonpareil

A fine Fall apple of good color and quality for either dessert or culinary purposes. The tree is a moderate grower and appears to be hardy and long-lived. Flesh tinged with yellow, firm, moderately fine, crisp, tender, juicy, subacid, good to very good. October and November.

McIntosh Red

Tree a vigorous grower, forming a roundish spreading head. Fruit is from medium to large, uniform in size and shape. Flesh slightly tinged with yellow, sometimes veined with red; crisp, juicy, subacid, becoming mild, almost sweet, when ripe. Splendid for dessert. October to December.



McINTOSH RED

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WINTER APPLES

Arkansaw

(Mammoth Black Twig). Tree a vigorous grower. A late keeping apple, of rather large size. Good red color and good quality. It keeps later than Baldwin but is not as prolific a bearer. November to April.

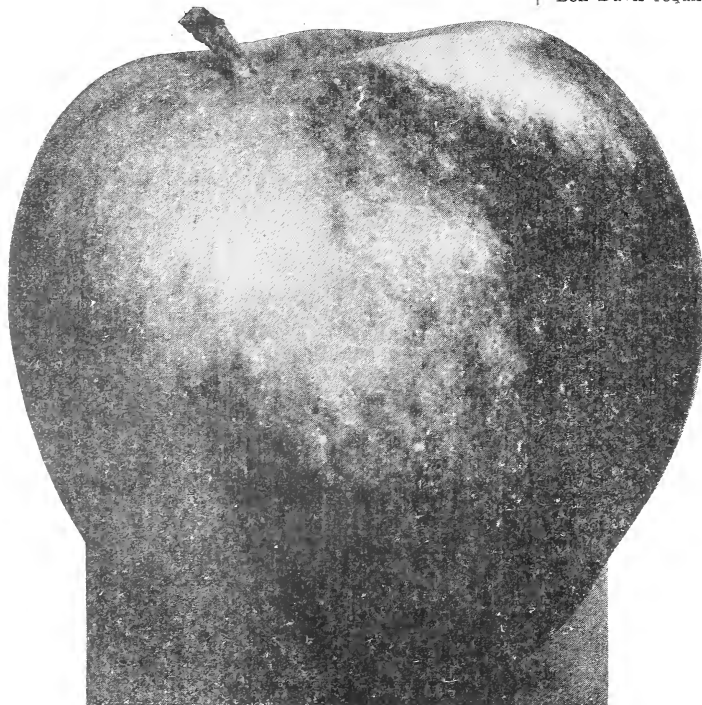
Baldwin

The apple of general popularity. Downing in "Fruits and Fruit Trees of America," says: "The Baldwin stands at the head of all New England apples." It is a native of Massachusetts. It bears most abundantly. Prof. E. P. Powell in "Orchard and Fruit Garden" says: "Probably no apple has secured so general a popularity as the Baldwin." The Baldwin is a staple on the market everywhere. It is well known to every fruit grower and housewife in the north-western United States. A bright red winter apple, rich, sub-acid, excellent because of its dessert and cooking qualities. The flesh is firm and brittle, the skin tough, making it a good shipper and a splendid keeper, it also dries well. The tree grows quickly and to a large size and yields big crops. One acre of fifty Baldwin trees in Massachusetts produced 227 barrels or 681 bushels, which sold for a net profit of \$519.55. A well-cared for orchard of Baldwins should produce every year ten times the money that corn or wheat will yield on the same acreage.

Banana

This apple is not as generally planted as its merits would warrant, and we recommend it both for home and market. Fruit large, clear pale yellow with beautifully contrasting pinkish-red blush; attractive in appearance, characteristically aromatic; of good dessert quality. Tree is a vigorous grower, comes into bearing young and is almost an annual bearer. It yields moderate to heavy crops. In commercial storage it will keep from October till December.

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DELICIOUS



ARKANSAW BLACK

Arkansaw Black

A vigorous grower. The fruit is medium in size, rarely large, and uniform in size and shape. The skin is smooth, somewhat waxy; yellow, covered with a lively red, deepening to purplish-red or almost black on the exposed side. Flesh yellow, very firm, rather fine grained, crisp, subacid, good to very good.

Ben Davis

(The Great Barrel Filler). This apple is a remarkably fine keeper and will prove a profitable market variety if planted in the right section and properly handled. The Ben Davis requires a long season for its maturity, so should not be planted in the northern fruit belts. The fruit should be allowed to remain on the tree as late in the Fall as possible, then stored and not offered on the market until April or May. Fruit large, handsome, brightly striped with red; flesh white, juicy, subacid. Tree is a vigorous grower and healthy, bears annually, early and abundantly. For packing in barrels the Ben Davis heads the list.

Delicious

Large, with surface almost covered with a most brilliant, beautiful dark red; in quality it is unsurpassed; in flavor it is sweet, slightly touched with acid, but only enough to make it all the more pleasing; flesh is fine grained, crisp, juicy, delicious; in keeping qualities it ranks with the best, coming out of storage in early Spring in perfect condition. It is one of the strongest, hardiest, most vigorous growers among apples.

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September 9, 1923.
Spring Hill Nursery,
Tippencanoe City, Ohio.
Gentlemen: In answer to your letter which I have just received, will say that all of the Nursery stock which I bought of you this Spring is doing fine. It certainly makes me feel good, to know there is a firm which takes so much interest in their customers as your Nurseries does. I intend setting out some more trees and shrubs next Spring, and assure you that I will buy from you. My planting space is limited, therefore I want the best. Thanking you for the interest you have taken, I remain a pleased patron.
ROBERT J. BURKETT, Jr.
Bradley Rd. Smithfield, Ohio.

WINTER APPLES

(Continued)

Ensee (*The Best of All*)

The growth of this tree is upright while young, but becomes more spreading and drooping with advancing age and fruit bearing. The fruit is about the size of the Rome Beauty, with the quality of the Jonathan or Grimes Golden, but more juicy than either of them, and never gets dry even after being in storage for a year. The flesh is yellowish, crisp, rich, delightful. F. H. Ballou, Sec. Ohio Horticultural Society says: "It is remarkable, in this era of extravagant praise and lavish use of brilliant hued printers ink in illustrating new varieties of fruit, that so excellent an apple as the Ensee should be so unproclaimedly discovered, and so quietly and locally propagated, planted, grown and marketed, that comparatively few orchardists are aware of its existence. For, in the estimation of the small number of apple growers who are familiar with the Ensee, as well as that of the writer, nature has not, within the past quarter of a century bestowed upon fruit culturists a new, late-keeping winter apple possessing quite so many attributes of unusual merit. Why the Ensee apple has not been more largely propagated and planted is difficult to understand."



JONATHAN

Jonathan

A general favorite everywhere. The Jonathan originated in New York state and belongs to the Spitzenburg class. It is a medium sized apple, brilliant red; very highly flavored, juicy, fine-grained, tender, mild, sub-acid. Quality is fine for home use and for marketing in large or small quantities, a most attractive apple and a very late keeper. The tree is long lived, but comes into bearing very young and produces big crops every year. The Jonathan and Grimes Golden are two standard dessert commercial varieties of an excellent and appearance that cannot be surpassed, and always bring good prices on the market, for their quality is known everywhere and the demand for them is always great.

N. W. Greening

This is an annual, abundant-bearing sort. The tree and fruit buds are very hardy. The fruit is large, greenish-yellow when ripe; good flavor, juicy and subacid. Good keeper. January to June.

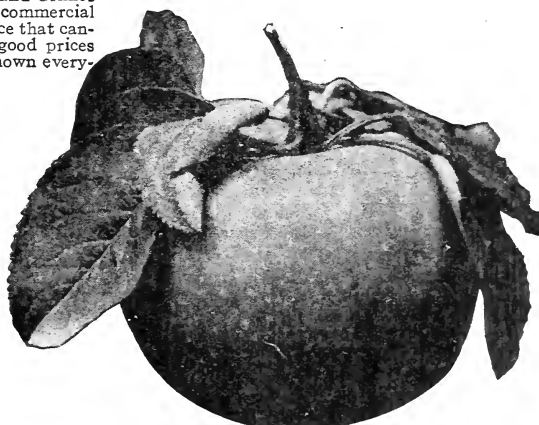
King of Tompkins County

A red apple of extraordinary size and fair quality; the flesh is slightly coarse, but tender. An abundant annual bearer. November to March.

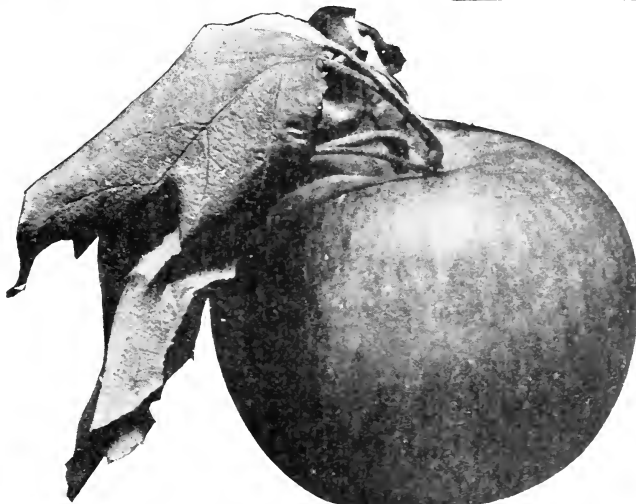
Grimes Golden

The BEST and most widely planted yellow apple. The tree is hardy and productive. It can be used to an advantage as a filler as it comes into bearing rather early. Few apples have proven more profitable in the commercial orchard. The fruit is of medium size, tender, rich, aromatic, sub-acid, good to very good, for eating raw or cooking. It is a splendid box apple going as it does on the fancy counter. There should be in every orchard, home and commercial, some of the Grimes Golden Apples.

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NORTHWESTERN GREENING



GRIMES GOLDEN

Limber Twig

Fruit attractive in appearance, of good deep red color, pretty uniform in size, well adapted for storage, ships well and keeps late. Quality good. Tree is thrifty and an excellent cropper and the fruit hangs well to the tree despite high winds. Flesh yellowish, moderately fine, juicy, aromatic, sub-acid. January to March.

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Sept. 19, 1923.

Spring Hill Nursery,
Tippecanoe, Ohio. City

Dear Sirs: I thank you very much for sending me the bulbs. Mrs. Tobey is also glad indeed to get them and we will put them out on our lawn. We have never made any investment in the world that gave us as much returns as the investment we made in Spring Hill Nursery plants and hardy shrubbery for our lawns. They required less care and there has been practically no replanting since it was first put out.

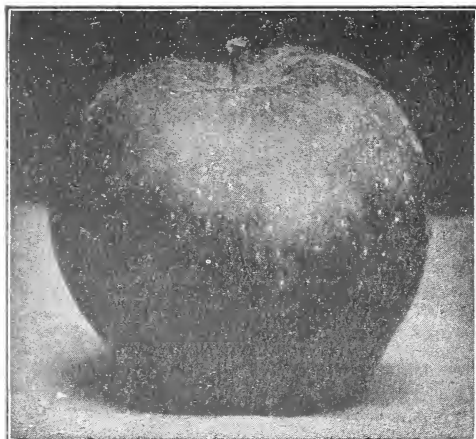
Again thanking you, I am
Yours truly,
W. L. TOBEY.

Nokomis, Ill., Sept. 27, 1923.
Spring Hill Nurseries, Tippecanoe City, O.

Dear Sirs: In enclosed find the names and addresses of several friends who I think will be interested. In regard to the spring shipment of plants, will say they are the strongest and finest plants I ever received. I have not lost any of them and am more than satisfied.

You may expect all my future orders. Thanking you for your kindness, I remain,

Yours very truly,
MRS. ADA ROBERTSON,
101 S. Vine St., Nokomis, Ill.



ROME BEAUTY

Rome Beauty

The great profit maker. An old apple, but one that steadily grows in popularity, and is a money maker for growers all over the country. It has an established place in the markets and no orchard should be without this apple. It is large, mottled and striped in different shades of red. The flavor and quality are way above the average; appearance and size are its valuable points and it always brings a good price. With an established reputation due to real merit, the Rome Beauty should be largely planted by orchardists. It is a good grower, blooms late, bears heavily every year and is adapted to a wide range of soils, elevations and conditions. On account of being a late bloomer it is rarely ever damaged by frost. Its reliability makes it a favorite with growers. Its fine quality makes it popular both with consumers and dealers.

Northern Spy

Large, striped crimson in the sun, juicy, rich and aromatic, retaining these qualities until late spring or summer. The tree grows rapidly, bears well as it blooms later than most varieties. Valuable as an aphid-resisting sort. This apple has taken its place at the front of winter varieties over quite a large territory. Jan. to June.

Talman Sweet

Medium size, pale yellow, flesh fine grained, white, firm, juicy and very sweet. Every home orchard should contain our three baking apples. The Golden Sweet for summer and early fall baking, the Talman Sweet for early winter and Stayman's Winesap for late winter. These three make a great combination of rich goodness that will tempt the most exacting appetite. November to January.

For Prices See Page 3.

Spring Hill Nursery Co., September 16th, 1923.
Tippecanoe City, Ohio.

Dear Friends: In regard to the trees we have had from your nursery. I am taking care of a fruit farm of 100 acres and we set 200 trees from your people last Spring, and I have never seen trees grow nicer, only two trees have failed to grow. I am setting a young orchard of new ground, and expect to make your nursery our headquarters for trees. Will close for this time. Thanking you for your kind favors, I remain

Yours very truly,

E. M. KENNEDY,

R. F. D. 2, Box 67

East Liverpool, Ohio.

WINTER APPLES

(CONTINUED)

Rambo

The Rambo is too well known to need much description, as it is one of the old favorites that has its place in the farm as well as the commercial orchard. The fruit is of medium size, greenish yellow, partly covered with red in the sun. Good flavor and very juicy. The tree is a heavy bearer. Season October to December.

Stayman's Winesap

Champion of all winesaps. Here we have an extraordinary market and family apple. Succeeds wonderfully anywhere. The fruit is medium to large; attractive green and yellow, almost hidden by dark red stripes. Flesh yellow, juicy, quality the best, ranking with the Yellow Newton and the Grimes Golden. The tree is a quick and strong grower. The Stayman tree somewhat resembles the ordinary winesap, but is a stronger grower and is much hardier, and because of its heavy bearing habits and late keeping it is a great source of revenue to the growers everywhere. Do not hesitate to plant Stayman. It will never disappoint you and will yield you a large return for your investment.

Twenty Ounce Pippin

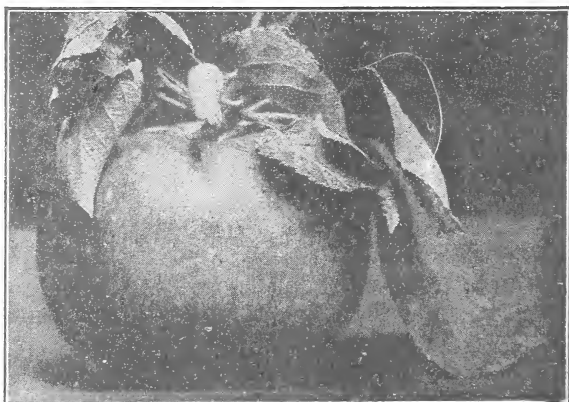
(Cayuga Red Streak)—So extremely large and handsome that it is always a good sort for market; the flesh is coarse but has a pleasant sprightly flavor. October to January.

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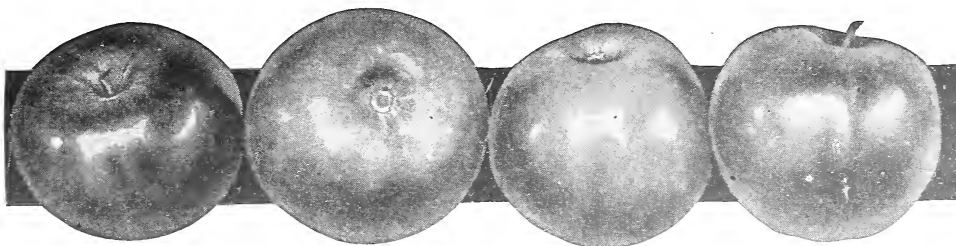
451 Boon St., Cadillac, Michigan.
Spring Hill Nurseries, Tippecanoe City, Ohio.
Dear Sirs: Our Nursery stock you shipped us last Spring is very satisfactory and doing fine. We will be very pleased to receive your new catalogue for the future, we remain

Yours very truly,

PETER TRUNBTOM.



TALMAN SWEET



WINESAP APPLES

WINTER APPLES—Continued

Winesap

One of the old standbys. It is one of the very best keepers. Medium size, smooth and a fine dark red; flesh yellow, crisp, tender, very juicy, aromatic, firm and very good. Popular with fruit stores because it always holds up, and is one of the leading export apples. The tree is a strong grower, the root growth being exceptionally strong. It comes into bearing early and is remarkable for its regular and abundant crops. This is one of the sorts you must not overlook when planting an orchard, either for home consumption or for the market. When grown properly, and packed in an attractive manner, it brings the highest prices in the fancy market, where its quality causes it to be eagerly bought.

York Imperial

An important commercial apple. A good keeper, which has the advantage of mellowing in time for use soon after picking if not stored to prevent it. Can be kept till the new crop comes. It is medium sized, round, irregular; greenish-yellow overlaid with bright red stripes; the flesh is tender, firm, crisp, juicy and of extra good flavor. The tree is a vigorous grower, strong and healthy and an unusually heavy bearer. Does well everywhere—eastern, western and central growers find it equally adapted to their conditions. It is one of the most important commercial apples grown, as its territory is greater than that of any other variety. A splendid fruit for fancy trade, always brings top prices in the market.

Yellow Bellflower

Very large; sometimes angular; is pale yellow, often with a blush; flesh white, very tender when ripe, fine grained, crisp and juicy, acid becoming sub-acid later; an old and highly recommended variety. Tree rather upright. November to February.

Lowry

This variety is also known as Dixie. Bears very heavy crops of good fruit, which keeps well and is very highly colored. The fruit is medium to large in size with white flesh and a wonderful flavor.

Wolf River

A large handsome apple, and originated on the banks of the Wolf River at Fremont, Wisconsin. It is a very hardy variety, strong and vigorous grower, with a spreading habit. It produces full crops of very large fruit, with white flesh, tender, juicy and pleasant to the taste. It has a mild subacid, with a peculiar spicy, slight quince-like flavor.

The fruit is very large and highly colored. It sells well because of its attractive appearance. Some specimens of this variety weigh as much as 27 ounces.

For Prices See Page 3

APPLE TREE Collection

No. A

2-Yr.-Old Apple Trees.

Each season we have a surplus of some varieties and a shortage of others. This is usually due to good or poor crop conditions. We offer nothing but the very best varieties, so you are taking no chances on getting inferior stock. We do not like to have these trees go to waste, so are offering them to you at the following prices, OUR selection of varieties:

10, 3 to 4 feet,	1st class	\$3.00
10, 4 to 5 feet,	1st class	4.00
10, 5 to 7 feet,	1st class	5.50
25, 3 to 4 feet,	1st class	7.00
25, 4 to 5 feet,	1st class	9.00
25, 5 to 7 feet,	1st class	12.50

We will see that you get a good assortment, and with the same guarantee as to quality as given all other trees offered in our catalog. When ordering specify size and price.



WOLF RIVER



A BRANCH OF WHITNEY CRABS

CRAB APPLES

Crab Apples form a valuable crop, both in home and commercial orchards. They are especially desirable in the colder sections, where only a few varieties of Apples can be successfully grown; but they succeed well in all climates and their fruit is very popular. A few years ago they were thought fit only for cider, preserves and jellies; but there are varieties now that command a good price on the market for dessert purposes, especially in the case of the Whitney Crab Apples; do well on almost all soils. Come into bearing early and bear almost every year.

Transcendent

TRANSCENDENT—This is the largest and best of the Siberian Crabs. The tree is extremely hardy, good grower, and usually very productive. The fruits are about one and a half to two inches in diameter. Bright yellow striped with red, flesh crisp, juicy and subacid. August to September.

Whitney

WHITNEY—The tree is a hardy, thrifty, upright grower, and comes into bearing when young; it is a very productive variety. The flesh is yellowish, crisp, juicy and splendid for eating and cider. August and September.

FOR PRICES SEE PAGE 3.

ONE YEAR OLD APPLE TREES

In order to supply our constantly increasing demand for one-year-old apple trees, we have grown and herewith present to our patrons a list of varieties we can supply in one-year-old trees.

The popularity of the one-year apple trees has grown out of the experience of commercial orchardists who choose them for the following reasons:

"The one-year tree or whip gives the grower a chance to form the head of the tree at any desired height, also to build exactly the kind of a head he may desire. This alone would be sufficient reason in the opinion of many growers for choosing the one-year-old tree.

"The tree which has only stood in the nursery row one year can without doubt be transplanted easier and with more assurance of its living than one which has grown for two years in the nursery row, as the root system of the one-year-old tree will not be as disturbed as the older tree.

"For this same reason the one-year-old tree will get a better hold on the soil than if it had stood two years and then had its anchor roots disturbed.

"Again, the one-year-old tree will bear fruit just as soon as the older tree on account of its becoming established quicker after transplanting.

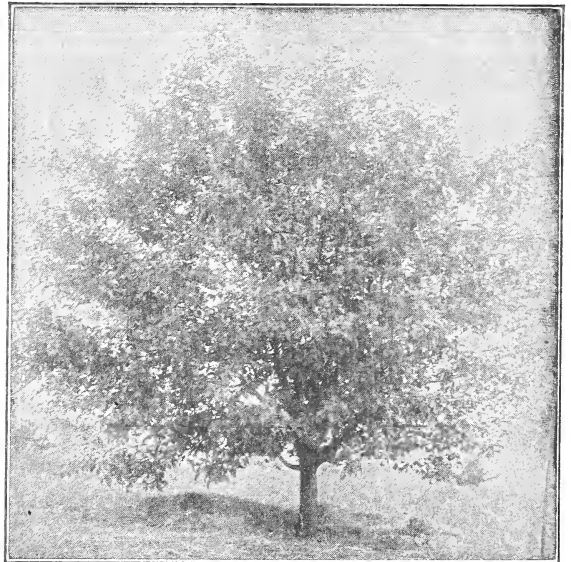
"Lastly, they may be bought for less money, this makes a difference with many; however, the price should be the last consideration, quality always first in any tree."

FOR PRICES ON 1-YEAR-OLD APPLE TREE SEE PAGE 3.

LIST OF VARIETIES OF 1 YR. OLD APPLES

Baldwin	Paradise Sweet
Ensee	Rome Beauty
Delicious	Rambo
Duchess	Red Astrachan
Early Harvest	Summer Rambo
Fall Pippin	Staymans Winesap
Grimes Golden	Stark
Jonathan	Winesap
Lowry	Wealthy
Limber Twig	Williams Early Red
McIntosh	Wolf River
Maiden Blush	Winter Banana
Mammoth Black Twig	Willow Twig
Northern Spy	York Imperial
Ohio Nonpareil	Yellow Transparent

WE CAN FURNISH ANY OF THE ABOVE VARIETIES IN 1 YEAR OLD TREES.

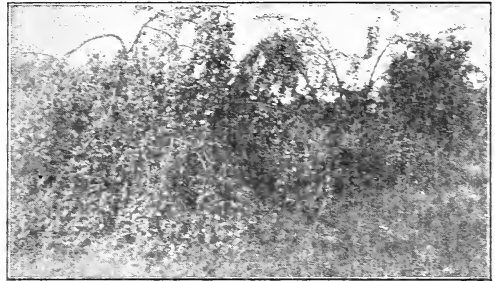


1-YEAR-OLD TREES FORM FINE HEADS

HORTICULTURE DEPARTMENT

S. W. Moore Practical Horticulturist. Horticultural advisor and lecturer of broad experience. Author of "Practical Orcharding," which we can furnish on request. Mr. Moore has had many years' experience of practical work along the various lines of Horticulture in several states, especially the Virginias, Ohio and Western fruit sections.

The appreciation of his service as Horticultural Advisor has been evidenced by the enquiries of our customers in regard to varieties of seeds, plants and fruits best suited to their local conditions.



Same tree as below, 8 bbl. crop; no broken limbs

You can secure the benefit of his wide experience along the various lines of work which is necessary for a suc-



A well-built tree as seen in winter



essful home or commercial orchard, and for the beautifying of your home grounds.

He can give you information as to the varieties of fruit trees best suited to your soil and location, instructions as to planting, pruning, spraying and cultivating, all of which are essential to the greatest success. He can also help you in the selections of ornamental trees, shrubbery, and perennials that will be of greatest value and add most beauty to home surroundings.

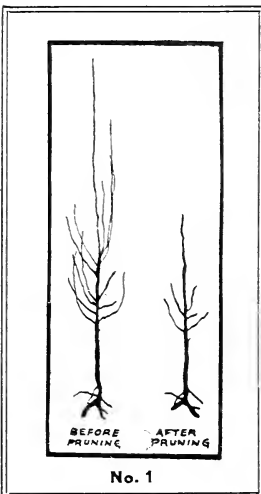
LET HIM HELP YOU SOLVE YOUR PROBLEMS—All inquiries addressed to him, in care of Spring Hill Nurseries, Tippecanoe City, Ohio, will receive his careful attention, and be promptly answered. The benefits of his advice will cost you nothing and will be of incalculable value to you throughout the coming years.

MR. MOORE SAYS PRUNING is one if not the most important orchard operation. Pruning or building trees so that they will carry close to the ground heavy loads of fruit, without breaking has proven to be a key to profitable orcharding.

HOW TO OBTAIN THIS RESULT—BEGIN YOUR BUILDING WHEN YOU PLANT THE TREE—If planting a two-year-old tree select limbs that are to form the scaffold of the tree. Head them in to four or six inches and remove all others except the central one which should be left eighteen inches long so that the second head or scaffold may form at its top.

If a one-year-old tree is used cut it to a stub 18 to 24 inches, depending upon the height desired, allow all its branches to grow. Next season prune it as directed with the two-year-old tree.

Experience is a dear teacher—why not profit by that of others?



No. 1



No. 2

CUT 1—Shows a 2-year tree at planting time before and after pruning.

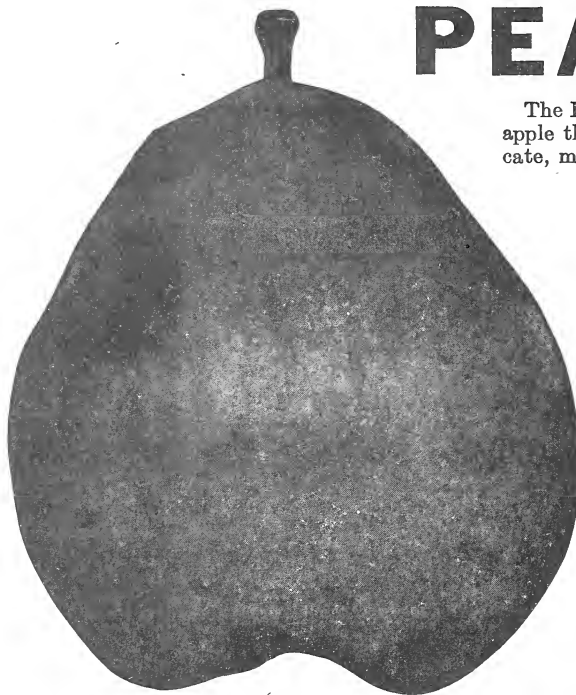
CUT 2—Shows same tree the following Spring with all its growth and orchardist selecting the scaffold limbs for the second head.

CUT 3—Shows it after all unnecessary branches have been removed and the others cut back and the leader left for the last head to be formed at the point where the shears are held.



No. 3

PEARS THE QUALITY FRUIT



KIEFFER PEAR.

ANJOU (Buerre d'Anjou)—Rather large; flesh yellowish-white, fine grained, melting, with a rich, excellent flavor. Good keeping qualities.

BARTLETT—One of the most popular sorts, both for home and market. It is large, handsome waxen yellow, with red blush; flesh buttery, rich and juicy, highly flavored. One of the best varieties for canning. Ripens in August and September.

CLAPP'S FAVORITE—Fruit handsome, large, long, yellow, spotted dull red where exposed to the sun; flesh fine grained, juicy, rich, sweet flavored. It resembles the Bartlett. The tree is a vigorous grower, hardy and productive. Ripens in August.

DUCHESS D'ANGOULENE—This is the largest among our really good pears. The skin is a dull greenish-yellow; flesh white, melting, juicy and well flavored. The tree is a vigorous grower and a reliable bearer. A profitable market variety and fair for home use. Ripens in October and November.

FLEMISH BEAUTY—One of the best varieties of pears for the Southwest, on account of its hardiness. The tree is a strong grower, an annual and abundant bearer, and is usually successful over a large range of country. The fruit is large; the skin pale yellow; the flavor is sweet and melting. Ripens in September and October.

KIEFFER—On account of the excellent keeping qualities it is one of the best and most profitable market varieties. Fine for canning or preserving. For commercial orchard it is undoubtedly one of the best. The trees are not troubled with scale and seldom fail to bear a good crop. Trees bear young. October and November.

The Pear is closely related to the apple and like the apple thrives on many soils. It is noted for its delicate, mild, sweet and delicious flavor, and the melting, buttery, juicy texture of the flesh, surpassing the apple in these respects.

The Pear is a highly profitable fruit, and especially so in markets that pay for quality as well as looks. It is easily grown, being nearly free from insects and fungous diseases.

Our pear trees are of the finest quality for transplanting, for they are well-developed, stocky trees. In the course of five years they will be bearing a fine crop of fruit.

We have both standard and dwarf varieties. For the permanent orchard we recommend the standard varieties, the dwarf being better for a small lot.

A strong loam of moderate depth, or a dry subsoil, is best adapted to the pears, but they will adapt themselves to as great a variety of soil as any other fruit. The soil should not be too rich, as a rapid growth is more likely to produce blight. The dwarf trees should be pruned every year. Thin the fruit whenever the trees are heavily burdened, particularly the young trees.

KOONCE—Exceedingly hardy variety, in fact almost frost-proof, will bear heavy crops when other kinds are destroyed by frost, medium size. July and August.

SECKLE—This well-known little pear has attained the rank of standard in quality on account of its rich delicious flavor; very popular for dessert. August and September.

SHELDON—A pear of the finest quality; rich and highly aromatic. The fruit is greenish russet with a red cheek; large size and somewhat flattened shape. Ripens in September.

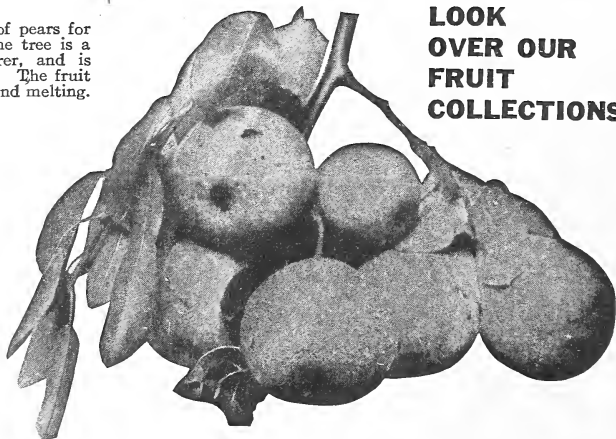
Special Price on Keiffer Pear

We have a surplus of Keiffer Pear trees this season. These trees are of good quality, and are fine stock. Price is very low.

10 trees, 5 ft. to 7 ft.	\$8.00
25 trees, 5 ft. to 7 ft.	18.50
100 trees, 5 ft. to 7 ft.	70.00

These trees must be ordered in any of the above quantities in order to obtain them at this reduced price.

**LOOK
OVER OUR
FRUIT
COLLECTIONS**



BARTLETT PEARS.

Prices on Pears

2 and 3 years old	Each	10	25
Standard Pear Trees,			
3-4 feet	\$60	5.00	12.00
Standard Pear Trees,			
4-5 feet	.75	7.00	16.25
Standard Pear Trees,			
5-7 feet	1.25	10.00	24.00

Dwarf Fruits



The dwarf fruits are not nearly so common or well known as they are in Europe or as they should be here. The fruits are just the same as on the standard varieties. The only difference is, the trees or plants do not take so much room as many of them may be trained on the fence, or even along the side of a building if necessary. They also come into bearing much earlier than the standard sorts. It is possible to plant three to five hundred dwarf trees on a quarter of an acre of ground, where less than a dozen standard varieties would flourish. The dwarf fruit trees also work more readily into a scheme of more or less ornamental gardening, where fruits are combined with flowers, especially if some sort of formal gardening is attempted. The cordon, espalier, and pyramids exactly suit these demands.



Dwarf Apples

Dwarf Apples are produced by grafting the variety desired onto the dwarf parasite stock, raised for this purpose. Plant one-year-old trees. They will develop into any shaped tree you wish to train them and will produce the fruit in a very few years. In fact, one-year-old trees often produce fruit in the nursery rows the second year.

Dwarf Apple Trees—One-year-old, 2 to 3 feet, 50c each; \$4.00 per 10. 3 to 4 feet, 60c each; \$5.00 per 10.

Varieties—Jonathan, McIntosh, Early Harvest, Stark, Transparent, Banana. Plant in spring or late fall, 6 to 8 feet apart.

Dwarf Pears

The Pear is very profitably grown as a "dwarf." These pears differ from the standards inasmuch as they are propagated on a quince root, which makes it slow growing and dwarfish. The fruit is the same in either case. The quality and appearance of the fruit will convince anyone that they are excellent to plant.

Dwarf Pears—Select trees, 2 and 3 years old, 3 to 4 feet 75c each; \$7.00 per 10; \$16.25 per 25.

Varieties—Duchess, Bartlett, Kieffer, Flemish Beauty, Clapp's Favorite, Seckle. Plant spring and fall, 8 to 10 feet apart.

A REAL HOME ORCHARD COLLECTION

TREES ARE ONE YEAR OLD 3-4 FEET

PRICE \$14.25

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2 Ensee Apple | 2 J. H. Hale Peach |
| 2 Delicious Apple | 1 Early Richmond Cherry |
| 2 Jonathan Apple | 1 Large Montmorency Cherry |
| 2 Yel. Transparent Apple | 1 Bartlett Pear |
| 2 Grimes' Golden Apple | 1 Duchess Pear |
| 2 Rambo Apple | 1 Shipper's Pride Plum |
| 2 Maiden Blush Apple | 1 German Prune Plum |
| 2 Winter Banana Apple | 25 Eldorado Blackberries |
| 4 Elberta Peach | 25 Cumberland Raspberries |
| 4 Champion Peach | 4 Concord Grapes |
| 2 Lemon Free Peach | 2 Niagara Grapes |

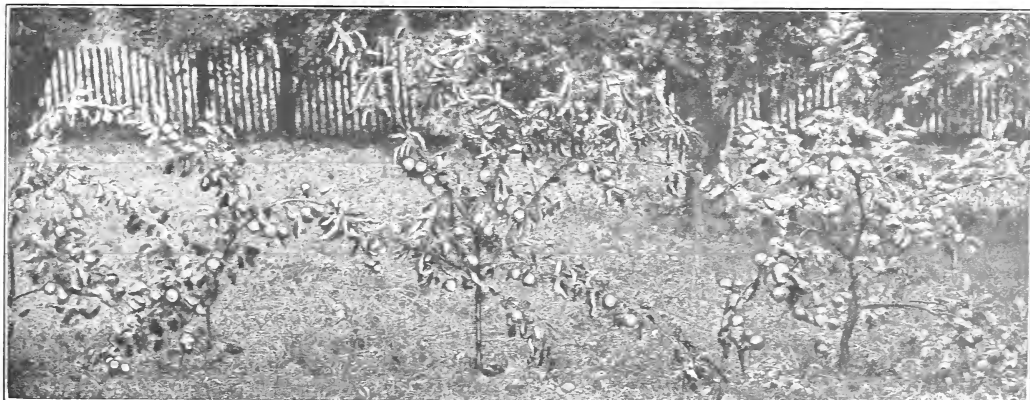
The above collection is offered in the proper size trees to plant. They will bear a good crop of fruit just as early as larger trees and usually live longer. The above list of trees are guaranteed to be first-class in every way, and to give satisfaction.



GOOD SPRAY PUMPS —AT— LOW PRICES

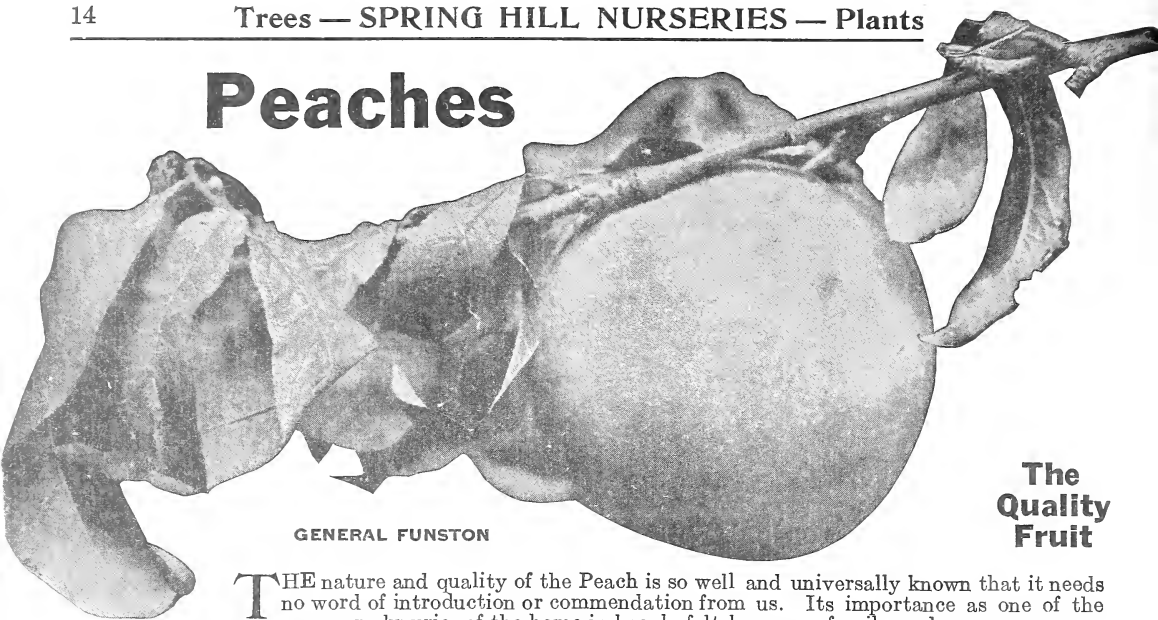
Standard Spray Pump with 34 feet Hose and Nozzles No. 1 and No. 2 (East of Denver).....	\$5.00
(Price west of Denver and in extreme South.....)	\$5.50
No. 3 or Mist Nozzle.....	.50
Kna sacks made of Heavy Galvanized Iron and ready for attaching to pump.....	3.75
"Potato" Extension Attachment.....	1.00
Extra Hose, any length, per foot.....	.18
No. 1 or No. 2 Nozzles, each.....	.25
Extra Strainers with 16-inch Brass Pipe.....	.75

Money returned on returned goods if not satisfactory



PLANT A HEDGE OF DWARF FRUITS

Peaches



GENERAL FUNSTON

**The
Quality
Fruit**

THE nature and quality of the Peach is so well and universally known that it needs no word of introduction or commendation from us. Its importance as one of the necessary luxuries of the home is keenly felt by every family and was never more emphasized than at the present when the scarcity and high prices put it beyond the reach of every one, who does not have his own trees.

Though peach growing is fast becoming a great industry and large numbers of trees are being planted, the supply is nothing like equal to the demand. Every one who owns a farm should plant a few peach trees for home use, or a larger number for commercial purposes. If he owns only his home he should plant a few trees in the back yard and produce peaches enough for his own family's use.

It is better to plant a few peach trees every year, in the home garden as the younger trees as a rule bear fruits of better quality and in that way you have trees coming into bearing each year. It is well to plant a good assortment of early, medium and late varieties thus insuring a long season of delicious fruit for canning, table or for market.

No difference whether few or many trees are planted they are sure to pay large dividends.

All of our varieties are standard quality but we especially recommend to our patrons those we describe most fully, because we know that these varieties will give them the best returns.

List of Varieties Belle of Georgia

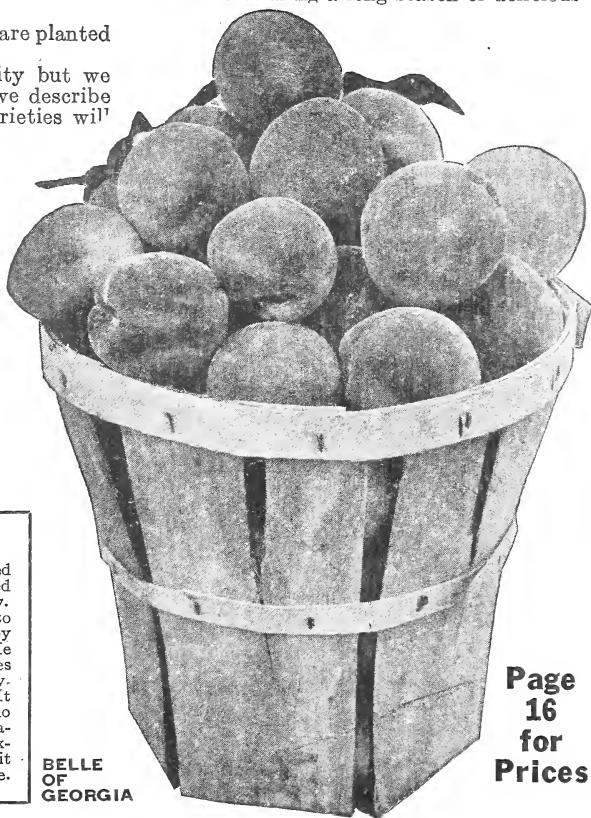
A large freestone peach, a most excellent variety, ripens early in August. Fruit very large and most attractive in color and shape, with a light red cheek. Flesh is white, firm and delicious; in all ways the quality is very fine.

It has become one of the standard varieties in the big commercial orchards, as it stands shipping well and it invariably brings the best prices in the markets. Its popularity is not confined to a single locality, for it grows with equal success in both South and North.

In many respects it is equal to the Elberta, and some orchardists are planting both varieties, thus insuring marketable fruit over a longer period. The tree is a strong, vigorous grower, very hardy in both bud and wood. It is a productive and reliable bearer. Its fine quality, productiveness and hardness make it popular with the consumer and producer.

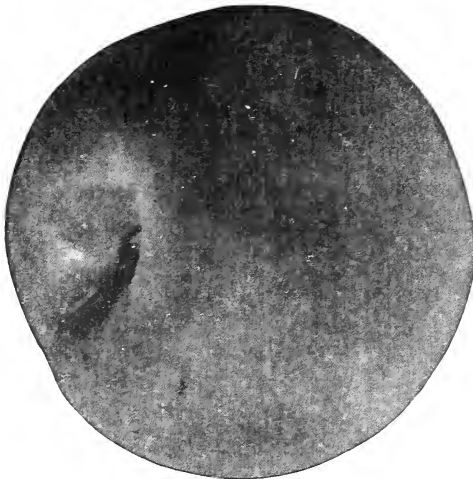
FRUIT FOR HEALTH

In all ages the eating of fruit has been recognized as an aid to health. Some of the more advanced dieticians advocate the use of fruit and nuts exclusively. The more reasonable plan, however, seems to be to eat "plenty of fruit," and that is the way Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the famed pure food expert, puts it. He believes that everyone should eat fruit—say, oranges or apples, and they cost about the same—every day. The nation seems to be following his advice. "It will save doctor's bills," says Dr. Wiley, and who should know better than he? But that is a fundamental fact which everyone should know from experience. It is pretty safe to say that the more fruit people eat, the better the health of the nation will be.



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OF
GEORGIA**

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FITZGERALD

Elberta

The old reliable peach, of which more are planted and from which more money has been made than from any other variety. The fruit is extra large; golden yellow, with brilliant shades of red; firm, juicy, rich and sweet. In fact it is the most popular of all the freestones. The tree is vigorous, sturdy—and hardy; thrives in widely different localities.

For years the Elberta has been the standard market peach, both in the southern and northern markets, and it has a place in the estimation of commercial growers and the users of peaches which will be very hard to fill with any other variety; the Elberta is the one variety that every fruit stand customer seems to know. No other peach has been introduced which fills all the requirements of a commercial peach with such success as the Elberta. Ripens about the first of August.

**TRY OUR
GARDEN
SEEDS**

Carmen

A fine market variety, being the first real freestone of the season. Large, yellowish white. Flesh is creamy white, is tender, rich and juicy.

This is a favorite variety with many growers. Because of its earliness it is one of the most profitable ever introduced. The returns from a successful Carmen orchard are almost beyond belief, and the fruit stands shipping so well that it always reaches the markets in prime condition, and its handsome appearance causes it to bring the highest prices.

The tree is a very vigorous grower, is hardy under some of the most unfavorable conditions and bears freely every year.

The Carmen is said to have the same parentage as the Elberta and possesses many of the excellent qualities of that very profitable Peach. Bears third to fourth year.

Champion

One of the finest freestone peaches. The fruit is large, creamy white, with a red cheek. The flesh is sweet, juicy, very high quality, and of excellent flavor. It is one of the showiest peaches in the market, is a good shipper and an excellent seller.

The tree is hardy and is productive, and a valuable peach for either the home or the commercial orchard. Ripens about the first week in August. It is the highest quality white peach known.

Fitzgerald

The Fitzgerald is of Canadian origin and it is one of the hardest peaches both in tree and bloom. Fruit is a large, yellow, freestone, tinted with red, firm, juicy, of very high quality.

The tree is a good grower and very productive, beginning to bear the second year. It has been a success in nearly all peach sections. It is a splendid quality peach, very profitable for the market, and should be planted in every orchard, and especially where hardy varieties are necessary. Ripens the last of August.

General Funston

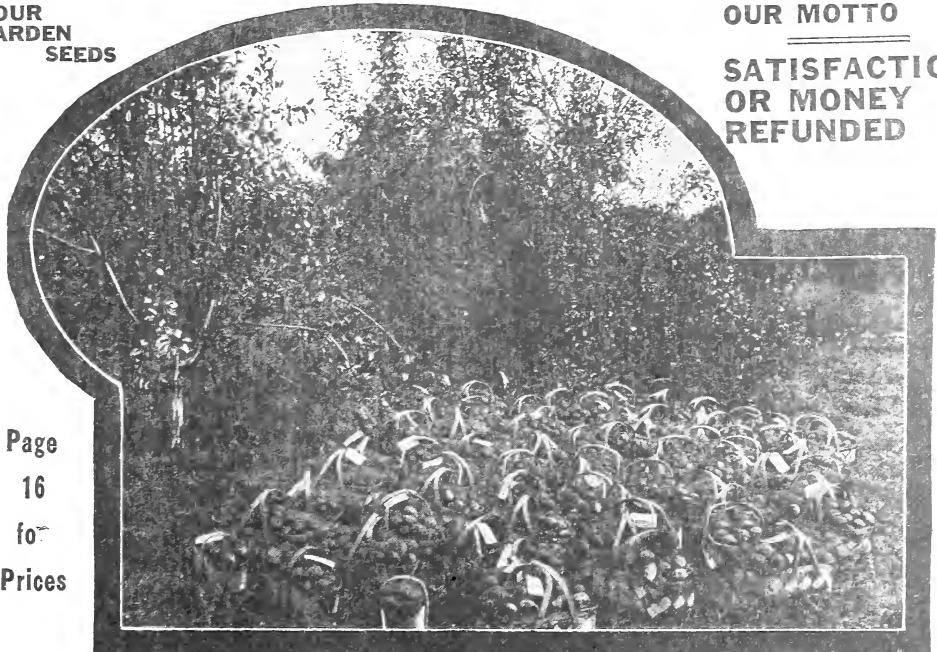
Large, new peach seedling, most excellent quality, white freestone, red cheek. Has been called "Frost Proof Beauty" because of hardiness, producing fruit when all other varieties fail.

The fruit is firm and solid, and stands shipping well, so that it comes on the market in first class condition. It is fine for canning and preserving and commands the best prices on the market.

The tree is a good grower, strong, shapely and symmetrical.

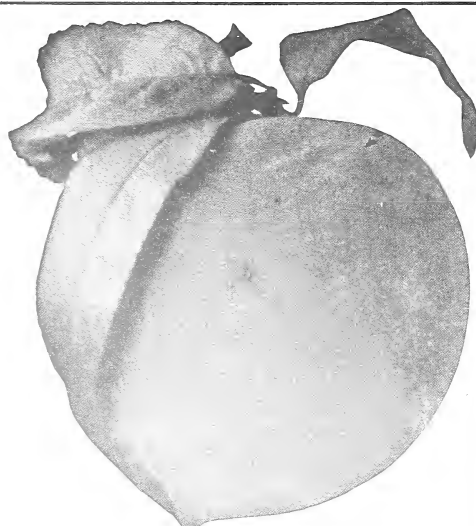
OUR MOTTO

**SATISFACTION
OR MONEY
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A FINE CROP OF ELBERTAS

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KALAMAZOO

COLLECTION B

Ten Peach Trees, \$2.50.

2 Collections, \$4.75.

4 Collections, \$9.50

4 ELBERTA—Yellow freestone.

2 CHAMPION—White, red cheek, early.

2 KALAMAZOO—Yellow freestone.

2 SALWAY—Yellow freestone late.

} 2 to 3 ft.

The above ten trees, 2-3 feet, guaranteed to be of best quality and purity. Price to you—all charges prepaid—by parcel post—\$2.50. You cannot afford to miss this offer.

Peach Collection C—Spring 1924

For the same reasons as stated in Collection A on page 9, we offer a number of good Peach trees, our selection, best quality of standard varieties.

10 trees, first class, 3-4 ft., \$3.00, or 25 for \$7.00.

10 trees, first class, 4-5 ft., \$4.00, or 25 for \$9.00.

When Ordering Specify Size and Price.

J. H. Hale

This remarkable peach, discovered as a chance seedling, by J. H. Hale is a wonderfully fine peach, magnificent in appearance and delightful in flavor. The tree is enormously productive and the fruit is of larger size than the Elberta. Color a deep, golden yellow overlaid with bright carmine. Smooth, solid thick skin, a peach without the fuzz, absolutely distinct in this respect, it stands in a class alone. Flesh deep yellow, firm, fine-grained, and as solid as a cling, yet parting as freely from the pit as the freest of the free, a delicious peachy flavor, such as is seldom found in a yellow peach; altogether a combination of productiveness, size, beauty, solidity, texture and flavor that cannot be duplicated.

Its firm, tenacious skin makes it a very fine shipper, and on the markets it commands the highest prices.

This great peach shows marvelous adaptability to varied soils and climatic conditions, growing equally well both north and south.

Lemon Free

This is a splendid peach possessing many very excellent qualities. Large, almost lemon shaped, pointed at the apex. In color it is a lemon yellow brightened with red cheek; the flesh is golden yellow, tender and juicy.

One of the very best for canning purposes, and ripening in October when it is not so hot it is a great favorite with the women, who want to can fruit in pleasant weather.

The tree is a fine, vigorous grower and is an abundant bearer.

Other Good Varieties

CRAWFORD'S EARLY—A very large yellow freestone of the finest quality. Ripens late August.

CRAWFORD'S LATE—Similar to Crawford's Early, but ripens two or three weeks later.

CROSSBY—Ranks among the hardiest of peaches, medium sized, yellow freestone of good flavor.

ENGLE'S MAMMOTH—Late yellow freestone, resembles Crawford's Late, but is more productive. September.

HEATH CLING—Very large, a creamy white peach, flesh pure white to stone, juicy and sweet. October.

KALAMAZOO—Freestone of excellent quality. Fruit large, golden yellow with crimson cheek. Flesh yellow, delightful flavor.

LEMON CLING—Large oblong, yellow peach. Flesh firm and rich. Tree hardy and productive.

MOUNTAIN ROSE—Large, handsome freestone, yellow skin with red cheek. Flesh white, juicy and most excellent. August.

NEW PROLIFIC—Very popular market sort. Large yellow freestone. Flesh firm, juicy and fine flavor. September.

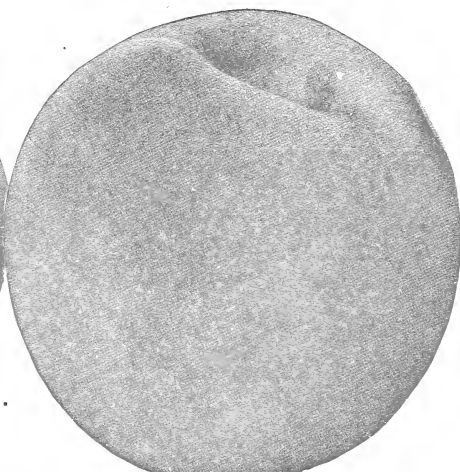
SMOCK—Large, yellow freestone, mottled with red, enormously productive and valuable for market. September.

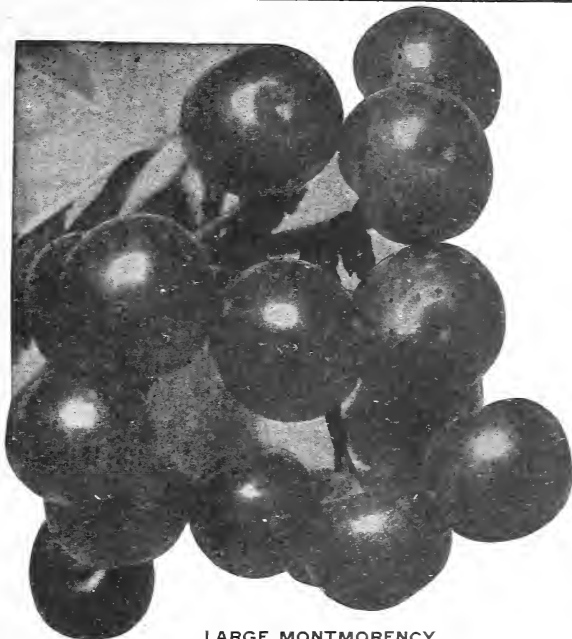
PRICES OF FIRST CLASS PEACH TREES

	Each.	10	25	100
Peach trees, first class, 2 to 3 feet.....	\$0.30	\$2.75	\$5.50	\$20.00
Peach trees, first class, 3 to 4 feet.....	.50	4.50	10.00	35.00
Peach trees, first class, 4 to 6 feet.....	.75	7.00	16.25	62.50



LEMON FREE





LARGE MONTMORENCY.

Black Tartarian

A beautiful, purplish cherry of superb quality, rich and juicy. This remarkable tree makes a beautiful erect growth. A prolific bearer. Late June and July.

Dyehouse

Bright red, prolific bearer. The fruit is mildly subacid, excellent variety for canning, good shipper. Free and vigorous. Last of May.

Early Richmond or May

Unsurpassed for cooking. The tree is a free grower and reliable producer. The fruit is medium, dark red, juicy and has an acid flavor. June.

May Duke

A large, light red cherry of most excellent quality. They are between a sweet and a sour cherry. Fine for canning. The tree is a strong, upright grower.

CHERRIES

A good cherry orchard for commercial purposes is one of the most profitable ventures a farmer can undertake, because there is no other fruit so much in demand at such good prices. The trees are very thrifty and prolific, bearing large crops annually.

The fruit is easily picked and it is always in great demand in its season, brings prices amply sufficient to repay the investment and give fancy profits. No home orchard is complete without some cherry trees.

There is no fruit which makes more delicious preserves and housewives appreciate the value of a good supply of canned cherries for winter pies, puddings and other desserts. Cherry trees are naturally hardy and are infected by fewer diseases than any other fruit tree. The so-called sour varieties are hardy, vigorous and frost resisting and are never troubled with scale, but spraying is of course beneficial to the trees. They are easily grown wherever apples succeed, and are late bloomers.

Few trees will bear such an abundant amount of delicious fruit every year with as little expense. The trees succeed best when planted in sandy or gravelly loam, avoid low or wet ground.

Our cherry stock is the best selected varieties and as fine as can be produced. They are all budded on imported Mahaleb stock, which makes the best and longest lived trees.

THE BEST VARIETIES

Governor Wood

The standard of quality among the sweet cherries. The large, light red fruit hangs well on the tree and does not rot easily. The fruit buds are hardy and the tree is a stout, healthy grower, and an abundant bearer. June.

Large Montmorency

Several different strains come under this variety or name; all of them are good, but we consider this particular strain one of the very best of the sour cherries, and it should be largely planted in every orchard. The fruit is large, dark red, and handsome.

Yellow Spanish

Large, handsome, sweet cherry with light red cheek, firm and delicious. Tree vigorous in growth and productive. Late June.

PRICES ON CHERRY TREES.

	Each.	10	25	100
Cherry Trees, First Class, 2 year old, 2 to 3 ft...	\$0.40	\$3.50	\$8.50	\$34.00
Cherry Trees, First Class, 2 year old, 3 to 4 ft...	.75	7.00	17.00	65.00
Cherry Trees, First Class, 2 year old, 4 to 6 ft...	1.25	10.00	24.50	95.00

Cherry Collection

No. D

Each season we have a surplus of some varieties and a shortage of others. This is usually due to good or poor crop conditions. We offer nothing but the very best varieties so you are taking no chances on getting inferior stock. We do not like to have these trees go to waste, so are offering them to you at the following prices, OUR selection of varieties:

6 FIRST CLASS
1 Yr. Top, 2 Yr. Root,
2 to 3 Feet. **\$2.65**

6 FIRST CLASS
2 Yr. Top, 3 Yr. Root,
3 to 4 Feet. **\$3.75**

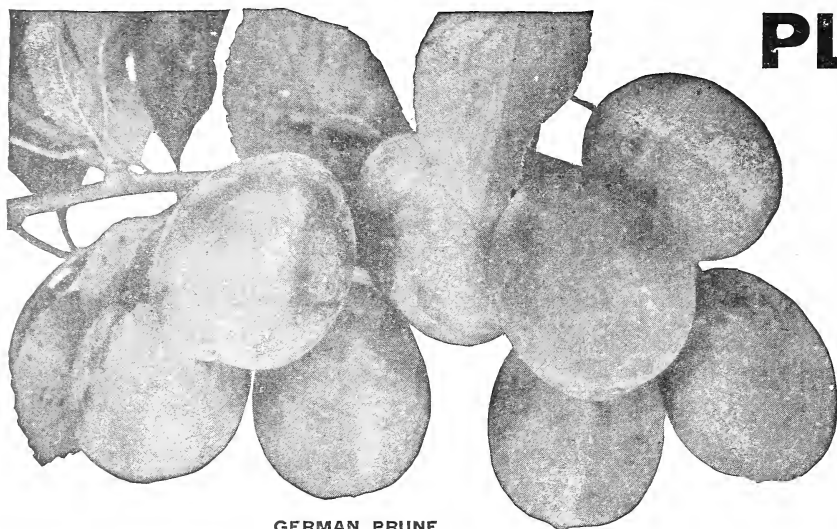
When Ordering Please Specify
Size and Price.



EARLY RICHMOND.

PLUMS

Best Varieties



GERMAN PRUNE

Spring Hill Nurseries,
Tipppecanoe City, Ohio.
Gentlemen:

Received the trees
Saturday evening. They
are surely fine. Best I
have ever received and
have bought from sev-
eral different places. I
thank you for the care-
ful packing and will
want to get some apple
trees soon.

Yours very truly,
LEONARD MILLS,
New Madison, Ohio

Plum trees are often called the poor man's tree because they require so little room to grow and are always such prolific bearers. The market's demand for high grade plums is almost unlimited, and for dessert, cooking, and canning, no fruit is more delicious.

Use plum trees to fill the places on your farm where other fruit trees will not have room to grow. Plant a commercial orchard of plums; give it good attention and it will bring you large profits and prove a good investment.

A light, sandy soil is preferred for plums, but they do well in almost any soil as long as it is well drained. The tree should be sprayed annually with Bordeaux mixture.

The varieties we offer have been thoroughly tested and are "stand-bys." They may be relied upon to furnish annual crops of highly profitable and delicious fruit. The stock is clean, healthy, and sturdy two-year-old, budded on the finest Myrobalum plum stock.

This sort of stock comes into bearing very early and a fair crop is assured the third and fourth years. From 135 to 170 trees should be planted to the acre, and in their prime they will produce \$10.00 worth of fruit to the tree.

A good plum orchard should return to the owner the fourth year the entire amount expended for trees and culture up to that time, and afterwards be a source of continued profit.

List of Varieties

German Prune

One of the oldest varieties. The tree is vigorous in growth and productive. Large, purple fruit that is firm, sweet, and delicious. A freestone. September.

Lombard

A favorite for canning and culinary purposes. Of medium size, oval, violet-red. Flesh is yellow, juicy, pleasant and good. Adheres to the stone. Good market variety. The tree is strong and productive, bearing when quite young. Ripens late in August.

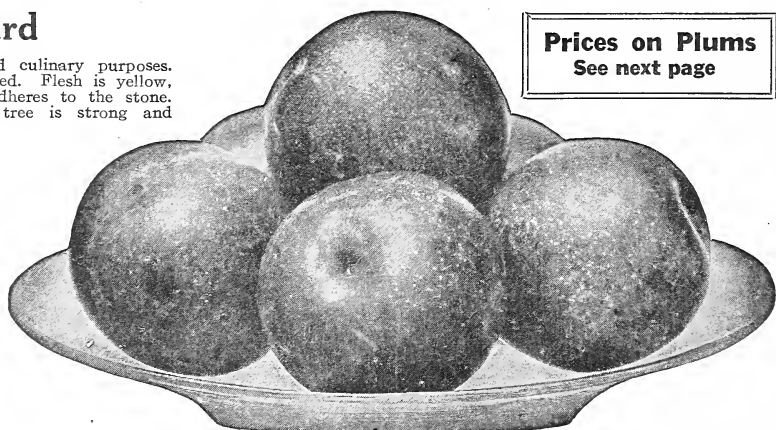
Reine Claude

Fine variety for canning. Fruit is large, roundish oval greenish yellow, spotted with red; flesh yellow, juicy, rich, and of the finest quality. Very productive.

Moore's Arctic

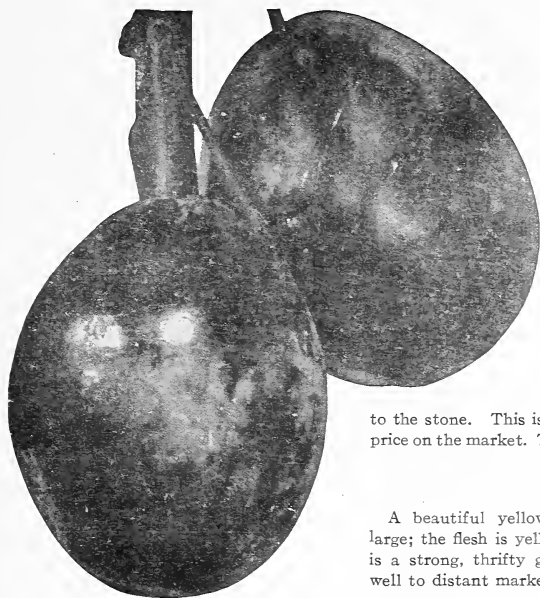
Purplish black plum with a thin bloom. The fruit is small to medium; flesh juicy, sweet and fine flavored. Tree is healthy, a regular and abundant bearer. August.

Prices on Plums
See next page



LOMBARD

One or two plum trees
of several varieties,
added to your order
will be an investment
that will pay you a
thousand fold.



BRADSHAW

Burbank

Successful almost anywhere. The fruit is of very large size, the color cherry red, mottled. The flesh is yellow, sweet and firm. It is fine for keeping and shipping. The tree is a vigorous grower, but so straggling that it requires sharp pruning. It ripens in August.

Plums (Continued)

Satsuma

Ripens in early September. Purple red. Flesh is dark red. Tree is a free bearer, but should be planted in a situation which may be slightly protected by buildings or a windbreak.

Shippers' Pride

A large, showy plum, frequently reaching a diameter of two inches. It is a dark purple in color, of the Damson type. The flesh is sweet and firm. Good shipper. September.

Yellow Egg

A beautiful yellow, egg-shaped plum of the largest size; the flesh is yellow, and is somewhat coarse; always clings to the stone. This is an excellent variety for canning and always brings a good price on the market. The tree is a prolific bearer and a good grower. Late August.

Abundance

A beautiful yellow, heavily overspread with purple-carmine; large to very large; the flesh is yellow, very juicy, sweet and quite firm; skin tough. The tree is a strong, thrifty grower, very hardy and prolific. The fruit stands shipping well to distant markets. July.

Bradshaw

Remarkably good early plum. This variety is a very large dark red. The flesh is yellow, juicy and good. A valuable market variety. The tree is an erect, vigorous grower. Middle of August.

PRICES OF GOOD PLUMS

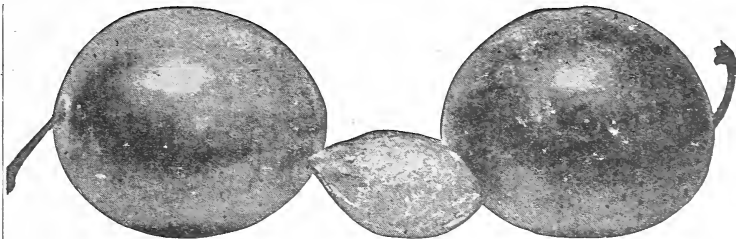
	Each.	10	25
2 year old, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$0.55	\$5.00	\$12.25
2 year old, 4 to 5 feet.....	.90	8.50	20.00
2 year old, 5 to 7 feet.....	1.25	12.00	27.50

Plant Spring or Fall, 16 to 20 Feet Apart.

Quinces

Plant Spring and Fall, 10 to 12 Feet Apart.

The Quince is always in demand, although its commercial value has changed but little for many years. Quinces are largely used in cooking, canning, and preserving, as they have a delicious flavor. Yet the increased size of the fruit and the quality repay well for all the extra work given them. Trees thrive in almost any soil, but prefer a heavy, moist clay loam.



SHIPPERS' PRIDE PLUMS

LIST OF VARIETIES

CHAMPION—A strong, rugged, exceedingly productive tree which begins to bear when two years old. The fruit is large, oval, of a rich color and excellent quality. It ripens late and keeps well until January.

APPLE, or ORANGE—Large, round, bright golden yellow cooks quite tender, and has an excellent flavor. Valuable for preserving and for market. An abundant bearer. One of the finest late varieties.

PRICES FIRST CLASS TREES

3 to 4 ft \$0.85 each; \$8.00 per 10; \$19.50 per 25
4 to 5 ft... 1.00 each; 9.50 per 10; 22.50 per 25

The Medical Authorities of the world say "Fruits are a necessity as well as a luxury, and should form a part of the food regime of every person." At our prices everyone can have fruit, besides the luxury and pleasure of eating it, it is preferable to paying doctor bills.

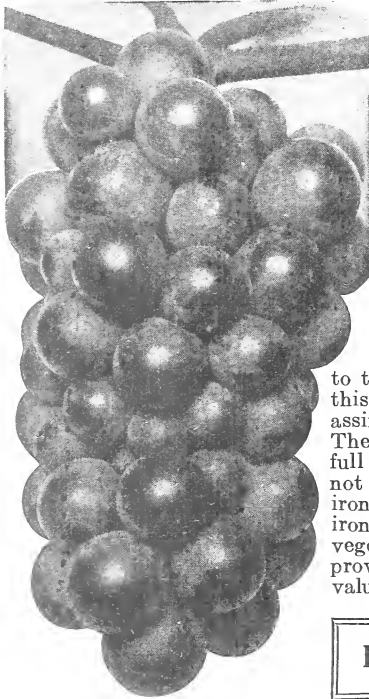
Mulberries

On account of the beautiful heavy foliage and compact growth of the mulberries, they are frequently classed as ornamental trees. They are very hardy and long lived, in fact one specimen of which we know is more than three hundred years old. Throughout the Western States they are frequently planted for windbreaks and hedges, and are valuable for posts and because the fruit attracts many birds, they can be planted as a protection to orchards.

NEW AMERICAN—Equal to the Downing in all respects and is a much hardier tree. Vigorous grower and very productive. The best variety for fruit. The berries are very large and ripen from June to middle of September. 3 to 4 feet, 75c.

RUSSIAN—A very hardy, rapid-growing tree and very productive, but the fruit is small and is of little value except as food for the birds. Often planted around orchards for this purpose. The wood is valuable for posts. 5 to 6 feet. 75c; 3 to 4 feet. 50c.

GRAPES



MOORE'S EARLY

Best Varieties

There are over 100 varieties of grapes to select from, but a great many of them have no merit, while others have too many bad qualities, which, in our estimation, disqualifies them for general use.

The market for grapes is far greater than the supply, and anyone wanting to plant an acre or so will find them a profitable crop to grow.

Write for quotations in large quantities.

Agawam

Deep red or maroon. The large meaty berries, which are borne in extra large, loose-shouldered bunches, are juicy and of a delightful aromatic flavor. Ripens about with Concord or a trifle later. Vine a strong healthy grower. 1 year, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.50; 2 years, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25.

Brighton

Until the introduction of Caco, this was regarded as the highest in quality of all hardy grapes. The berries are wine red, like Caco, but not so large though the bunch, if anything, is larger. Ripens in midseason. 1 year, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25; 2 year, 35c; dozen, \$3.75.

Concord

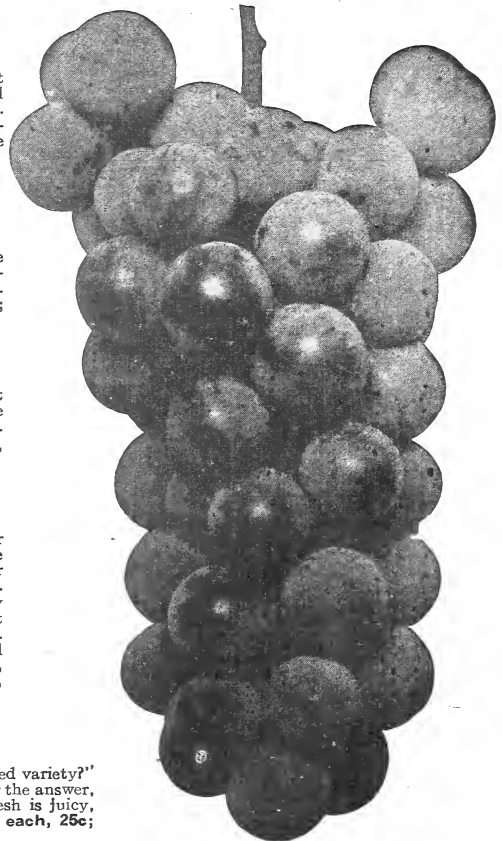
From sheer merit the Concord has become the most popular grape in the United States. Taking the country as a whole, more ConCORDs are now in bearing than of any other variety. No other grape succeeds over such a wide area or in so many different soils. It is the standby in grapes. New varieties may come, but they have to work hard to reach the Concord standard for market purposes. Matures early, keeps well, ships well and sells well. Bunches big, berries are juicy, sweet and delicious. Concord overcomes local grape troubles and is safe to plant. Price, 1 year, each, 20c; dozen, \$2.25; 2 year, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75.

Catawba

If you asked some of the big Grape growers, "Which is the best red variety?" the answer would be "Catawba." There would be good reasons for the answer, too. It is last to ripen; the bunch and berries are large; the flesh is juicy, pulpy, and possesses a delightful sugary flavor. Price, 1 year, each, 25c; dozen, \$2.75; 2 year, each, 30c; dozen, \$3.25.

One of the most satisfactory crops that can be grown; because it can be depended upon practically every year, and can be grown almost anywhere, but to produce the finest specimens they should be carefully cultivated and pruned. The food worth of this delicious fruit is almost incalculable. Like nearly all fruits it contains a large percentage of water, a valuable food factor, since two-thirds of the human body is water. This water is sweetened with one of the most healthful forms of sugar, and sugar is the most highly concentrated form of fuel food for the generation of heat and energy in the body. The grape contains from 13 to 25 per cent grape sugar, and in addition to water and sugar is composed of tartaric acid, sodium, potash, magnesium and iron, all of these properties are essential to the health of man; but by far the most valuable food feature of this delightful fruit is its large content of iron in a form more easily assimilated by the human system than is elsewhere found in nature. The grape actually is heavy with iron, and in order to appreciate the full meaning of this fact one must remember that the human system not only needs but demands a constant supply of this mineral. It is iron that makes for red blood and in nine cases out of ten it is lack of iron that pales the cheeks and takes the pep out of life. Neither vegetable nor animal life could exist without it and science has proven that chemical compounds put up in bottles do not supply this valuable mineral as it is found in food.

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CATAWBA

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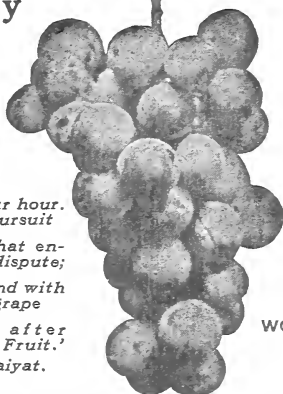
*"Waste not your hour,
in the vain pursuit*

*Of This and That en-
deavor and dispute;*

*Better be jocund with
the fruitful grape*

*Than sadden after
none, or bitter, Fruit."*

—The Rubaiyat.



WORDEN



Campbell (Campbell's Early). Bunch large and compact; berries large, somewhat elliptical in shape; flesh is pulpy, tender, yet firm enough to keep and ship well; flavor sugary and aromatic. An excellent table Grape; splendid for jelly and catsup. Price, 1 year old, each, 30c, dozen, \$3.25; 2 year old, each, 35c, dozen, \$3.75.

Delaware An old time red variety. Bunch and berry small, refined, high quality. Prolific but a rather weak grower and somewhat subject to mildew. 1 year, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75; 2 years, each, 30c, dozen, \$3.25.

Moore's Early The most reliable very early variety and is proving immensely profitable to commercial growers. Medium bunch, berry large, jet black with purple bloom, ripens fully two weeks earlier than Concord. 1 year each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75.

Niagara The standard white Grape. Both bunch and berries are large to very large, handsome, and well formed. The flesh is firm, juicy, without much pulp; flavor is of the very best, and does not resemble any other sort. The vine is hardy, vigorous, and extremely productive. Frankly speaking, it is hard to describe Niagara, so numerous are its points of superiority. The best way is to try some yourself. Plant the vines anywhere. Do it this year. Price, 1 year, each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75.

Pocklington A very handsome Grape of extra large size. Bunch large and compact; flesh juicy with considerable pulp; flavor sugary, and delicious. Vines are extremely healthy and hardy. Pocklington is perhaps the most beautiful Grape in cultivation. Price, 1 year, each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75.

CONCORD
GRAPE



Salem Bunch large and heavy; berries round, and an inch thick; flesh tender; flavor sweet, aromatic. For table it is hard to beat. Salem ought to be in every garden and small vineyard. Price, 1 year, each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75.

Vergennes Originated in Vermont, which is proof enough of this Grape's hardiness. Bunch and berries large; flesh juicy and with little pulp; flavor sweet and delightful. Price, 1 year, each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75.

Woodruff Bunch short and compact; berries large; flesh juicy; flavor deliciously subacid. Just right for making grape jelly. A very desirable variety. See recipe on page 16. Price, 1 year, each, 30c, dozen, \$3.25; 2 years, each, 35c, dozen, \$3.75.

Worden A black grape that resembles Concord closely but with more tender pulp, higher quality, and ripens a week to ten days earlier. It is also a little larger in both bunch and berry than the Concord. 1 year, each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75.

Wyoming Bunch small and compact; berries medium; flesh firm; flavor very agreeable, although not so sweet as Delaware. Price, 1 year, each, 20c, dozen, \$2.25; 2 years, each, 25c, dozen, \$2.75.

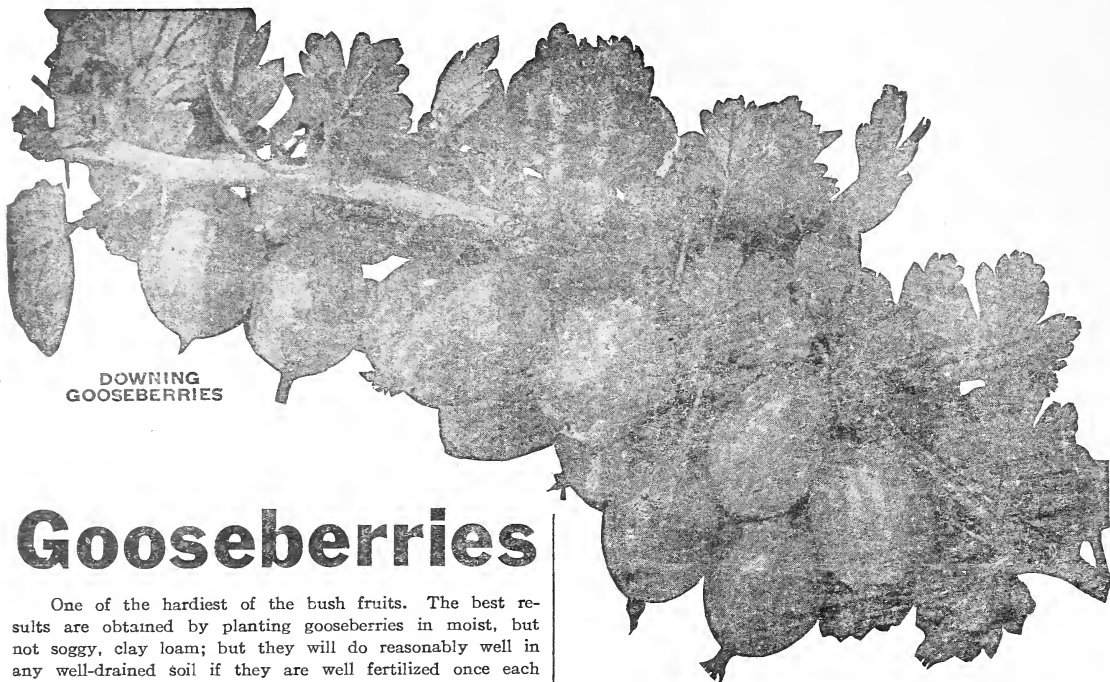
GRAPE COLLECTION
20 GRAPE VINES
2 Year Old, 1st Class
OUR SELECTION **\$3.00**

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Vines are guaranteed as to quality and purity.

Quantity
Prices on
Grapes of
Any Variety

25 Plants 1 yr. \$4.00
25 " 2 yr. 5.00
100 " 1 yr. 11.50
100 " 2 yr. 17.50

DOWNING
GOOSEBERRIES

Gooseberries

One of the hardiest of the bush fruits. The best results are obtained by planting gooseberries in moist, but not soggy, clay loam; but they will do reasonably well in any well-drained soil if they are well fertilized once each year. The gooseberries bear most freely on two and three-year-old wood. Therefore, the aim should be to keep a continuous supply of vigorous shoots. Prune freely to encourage upright growth. We offer all first-class plants.

List of Varieties

DOWNING—One of the most favored of all gooseberries for family use and a very good market berry. Medium sized fruit; flesh soft and juicy. This variety is planted more extensively than any other kind by the fruit growers.

HOUGHTON—Very productive, good and vigorous grower, an old and reliable variety; very hardy.

JOSELYN—Of English type, very good grower, large-sized berries, very productive, affected somewhat with mildew through America.

Plant Spring and Fall, 3 and 4 Feet Apart.

PRICE: Two year old, First Class Plants, 25 Cents Each; \$2.25 per 10; \$5.00 per 25.



LONDON MARKET CURRANTS

Currants

Experience teaches that a cool, moist soil is best adapted to the growth of currants. Strong, moist loams, with a considerable mixture of clay, are good. Even, well-drained, stiff clay will give good results.

The pruning is simple, but very important. The younger the wood, the finer the fruit. It is absolutely necessary, however, that a fair supply of the old wood be left in order to insure productiveness. No wood over three years old should be allowed to remain. Plants should be set in rows six feet wide and about three feet apart in the row. Twenty-five hundred can be planted to the acre.

List of Varieties

CHERRY—Bush a strong grower, very hardy, and quite prolific bearer. The large, bright red berry has a thin skin and a fine flavor.

FAY'S PROLIFIC—The leading market currant. One of the best known varieties and universally used by the large fruit growers. Long stems, fine flavor, and very productive. Fruit easy to pick; good shipper; plants are very hardy.

LONDON MARKET—Bush vigorous and upright. One of the best for northern climates and at the same time a leader in the Southern states. Beautiful dark red berries medium sized with large branches. A favorite for home market and will stand long shipments.

RED CROSS—A strong-growing, very productive variety. The medium-sized, bright red berries are borne in long clusters and are of the finest quality.

WHITE GRAPE—One of the most vigorous growing varieties we have. Fruit excellent for table use, having a mild acid flavor. The golden-white berries are borne in large, handsome clusters.

WILDER—Upright and vigorous grower, bright red berry of excellent quality; ripens and remains bright and firm very late. Largely planted by the best fruit growers. It is our first choice of all the kinds.

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Select Strawberries

Strawberries are so well known and generally grown that it is hardly necessary to give much space to descriptions. If interested in knowing about the culture of strawberries, we will be pleased to send our booklet, "What, Where, When and How to Plant," which tells about preparing bed, cultivation, etc. We will only give here a few notes of general importance.

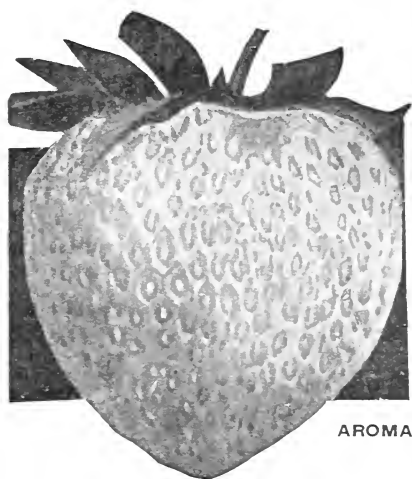
Ground must be well drained. Ground must be well prepared. Plant in spring—always the best time. Generous supply of well-rotted manure is a great benefit. Protect plants when received from nursery; never allow roots to be exposed to the sun or wind. Plant in rows four feet apart and eighteen to twenty-four inches apart in row. Crown of plant should never be below surface of ground.

NOTE—All varieties marked Imp. should be planted with other varieties marked Per. to fertilize the blossoms. Good crops of those marked Per. can be grown when planted alone.

LIST OF VARIETIES

Aroma (Per.) One of the finest for long-distance shipping. The large berries are bright red to the center. Of conical shape, with prominent yellow seeds that help to make them very attractive on the market. The quality is such that it is a leader with many growers.

AROMA



Brandywine (Per.) A well-known variety that has proven very successful wherever planted. Produces immense quantities of large, very fine deep red berries that have a delightful flavor. The bright yellow seeds make a fine color contrast with the beautiful red fruit. This is one variety that has been a favorite in most all of the state east of the Rocky Mountains and also on the Pacific coast. The foliage of this variety is very large; the fruit stems strong and erect, holding the large berries well off the ground. We can freely recommend this as being one of the very best berries.

Bubach (Imp.) This variety has never failed to win a reputation wherever planted. It is famous for its beautifully colored, large berries and mammoth crops. It is a leader among the money makers, an old, well tested variety that has never failed.

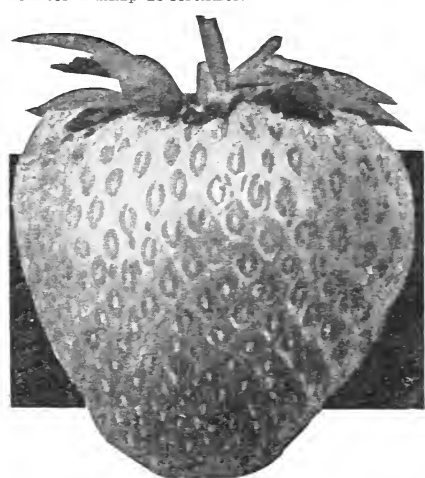
Enhance (Imp.) A very good bearer for the market. The plant is a healthy and vigorous grower, reliable, productive, and of a good quality.

Fendell (Imp.) A comparatively new variety; seedling from the Wm. Belt, originated in 1915 by Charles E. Fendell. It is noted for the strong growing plants, extra large, fine-flavored berries, and great productiveness. It has a record of better than sixteen thousand quarts per acre.

Gandy (Per.) Another old favorite. Its popularity, instead of decreasing, is steadily increasing. The fruit is dark red with dark red seeds. A very late berry that does best on a heavy clay soil. Considered one of the best shippers ever known and has done well wherever tried.

Glen Mary (Per.)—Midseason. Unexcelled as a long distance shipper and one of the best for our western states, as it resists dry weather admirably. A heavy bearer of large, delicious fruits.

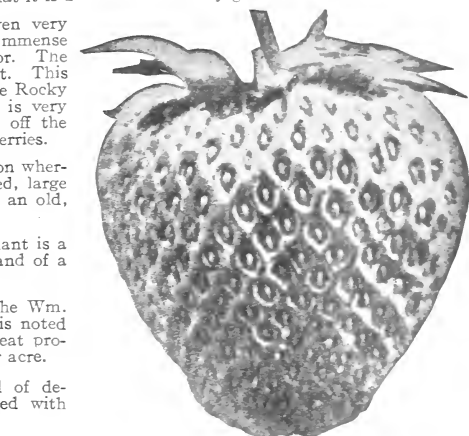
Haverland (Imp.)—On account of the hardiness, wonderful productiveness of the plants, and the general appearance, good shipping qualities, and excellent flavor, this berry continues to grow in popularity. It has always proven to be one of the best varieties wherever planted, and thrives best with the Senator Dunlap as fertilizer.



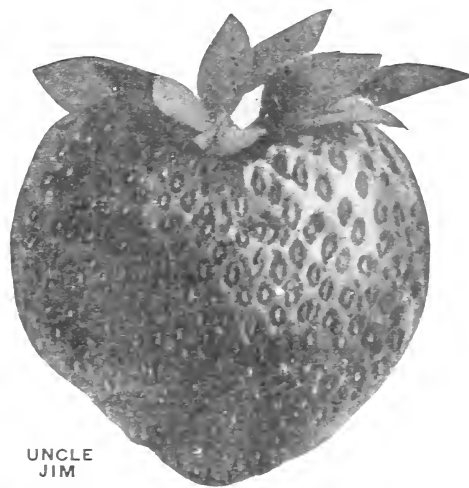
BRANDYWINE

Uncle Jim

(Per.)—Is a strong grower that bears large fruit of a rich color. One of the best for canning; a good market variety and a good shipper. Heavy producer. Every strawberry patch should contain some of this variety.



SENATOR DUNLAP



UNCLE JIM

Senator Dunlap (Per.)—The demand for this variety has been increasing steadily, as it has an unusually long fruiting season. It bears immense quantities of large, handsome, rich, fine-flavored, dark red berries, which are uniform in size and shape and very attractive in appearance. The demand for this variety among fruit growers shows that it is coming to the front as one of the best.

Prices

Sold Only in BUNCHES Of 25 or Over.
PRICE, PER 100, \$1.50; PER 500, \$6.00, 1,000, \$8.50.
PLANT 1 TO 1 3/4 FEET IN ROWS 4 FEET WIDE.



PROGRESSIVE EVER BEARING STRAWBERRIES.

Everbearing Strawberries

Ever-bearing Strawberries are a success. Every home should have a patch of these, enough for home use at least. There is good money in them, if raised for market. Just think of fresh strawberries all through the fall months. What a luxury! You can have all you need of them by planting some of the following varieties.

Set the same as other strawberry plants and keep the fruit stems picked off till about July 1, same as on all new set plants. They will produce a good paying crop of berries the first year.

Price OF EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

Seventy-five cents per 12; \$2 per 100; \$9 per 500.

Everbearing Raspberries

ST. REGIS—This new raspberry of recent introduction stands in a class alone. It will produce fruit from June until the berries freeze in the fall or early winter. The fruit begins to ripen very early and continues on the new canes throughout the remainder of the summer and fall months. Berries are a bright crimson, good size, rich, sugary, with excellent raspberry flavor. Flesh firm and meaty, a good shipper. Canes stocky, of strong growth, with an abundance of dark green, leathery foliage. St. Regis is a heavy bearer and has proven one of the most profitable of the red varieties, also a producer of fruit during the summer and fall. 10 cents each; 75 cents per 12; \$4.00 per 100.

Best Varieties of EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

PROGRESSIVE (Per.)—A wonderful ever-bearing strawberry, as the spring-set plants not only produce big crops of berries the same season, but the runner plants also begin to bear fruit as soon as they are set, and in this way Progressive yields a crop of fruit the first year. Fruit good size, of good color and appearance. Progressive will please you.

CHAMPION—Champion Everbearing Strawberry has no equal as to quality, productiveness, and hardness of plants. Its first crop in the spring is equal to the annual bearers and in early fall, it produces fully four times the amount of any other everbearing strawberry we know of. Quality of the fruit is of the very best. Size much larger than any other fall-bearing variety. Drought does not hurt them as much as other varieties. If you are buying everbearing strawberries, by all means include the Champion in your order.

Asparagus Plants

PRICE, \$1.00 PER 25; \$3.00 PER 100; \$12.50 PER 1,000.

(For Asparagus Seed, See Page 56.)

It is not necessary to tell the good qualities of the asparagus, as it is known to everybody. It is the most healthful and delicious of the early vegetables. It is very easily grown, and no plant will produce as the asparagus does with as little outlay. May be either planted in fall or spring. Dig up the ground deep, put on plenty of well-rotted manure, thoroughly mixed in the soil, throw out a bed about four to five inches deep, lay the plants in by spreading the roots out well, and scatter the dirt over the plants about four inches, or the depth of the ground thrown out, press the dirt well around the plants by patting it down with a spade or shovel, then top-dress the ground with about three inches of well-rotted manure and scatter salt enough over the top of this to make the ground white enough to track a rabbit. The second year after planting, you will be able to harvest enough asparagus for a good sized family from a bed of about two hundred plants. Two hundred plants will make a bed three feet wide and fifteen feet long. Keep the crown of the asparagus cut regularly so it will not get too large and woody. A good asparagus root properly planted will produce from three and one-half to seven pounds of asparagus, and when planted in small beds, where it can be well mulched and cared for, will even do much better than this. It is necessary to start good roots. It depends much more on the care taken of the plants and the plant food given them than it does the variety planted. Salt should be put on at the end of every season, in the spring.

BARR'S MAMMOTH—A very good variety with large, even sized roots.

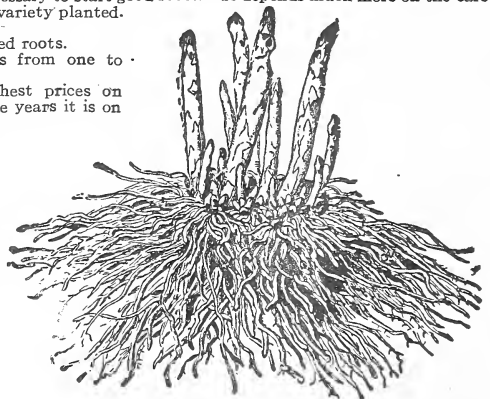
CONOVER'S COLOSSAL—Really colossal. Deep green shoots from one to two inches in diameter are sent up thickly from the crowns.

PALMETTO—In large markets, this asparagus brings the highest prices on account of the size and beautiful appearance of its stalks. Some years it is on the market several days before other varieties.

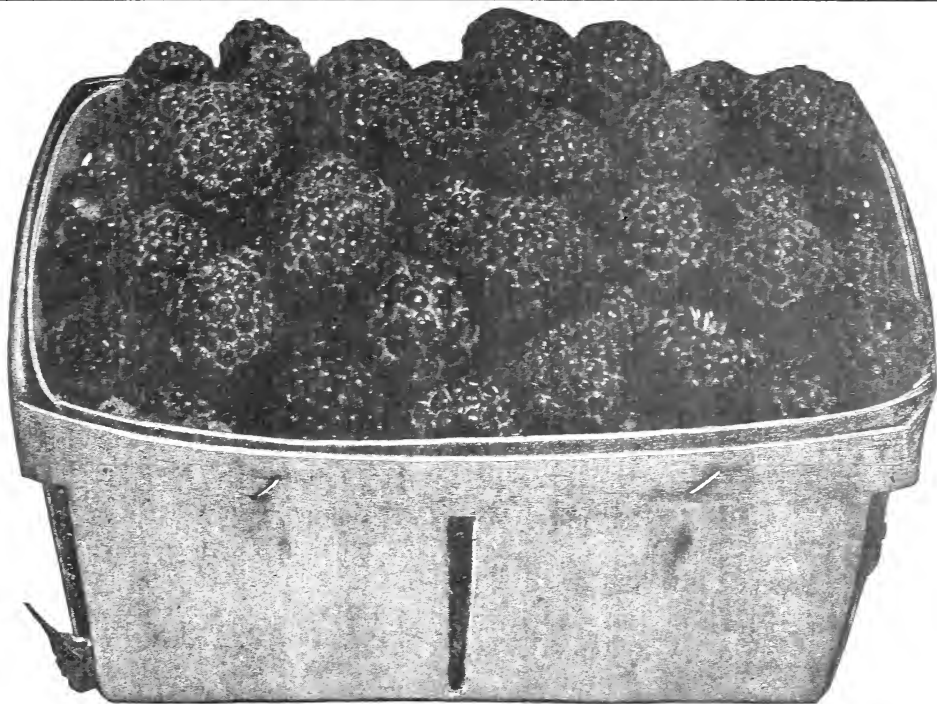
Rhubarb

Plants 15c each; \$1.00 per 10; \$7.50 per 100.

LINNAEUS—Leaf-stalks long, large, tender, juicy, produced quite early. Cellar-grown rhubarb with beautifully pink, tender stalks may be enjoyed in March by anyone who will devote a little time to it. For this crop the plants are grown from spring until fall in very rich soil so as to establish a number of crowns on each root. In the fall a number of roots are packed together with rich soil in some cool, dark cellar. After the crop has been cut, the roots are replanted in the garden to regain their vigor for the next year's forcing.



ASPARAGUS ROOTS.



A BASKET OF CUTHBERT RASPBERRIES

Select Raspberries

Many improvements in the hardy varieties of raspberries, make the cultivation of the fruit comparatively easy. They do well in any good soil, but thrive best in deep, moist (not overwet) soil. The lighter loams are preferable for the red varieties, while the heavier suit the black varieties best.

GROWN FROM TIPS

CARDINAL—One of the most vigorous growers and one of the hardest of all the raspberries. In fact, it is considered one of the very best purple berries. The best proof of this is that nearly all growers discard the other purple varieties after the Cardinals are once established. They produce a fine quality of dark red or almost purple berries thru a long season. Of very fine quality for family use.

CUMBERLAND—The fruit of this variety is largest of all the black caps; firm, a good shipper, and one of the most profitable as a market berry. Very choice black cap.

GREGG—Known for many years by more people than is any other raspberry on the market. Large, showy, black, firm, and will ship well. Hardy and vigorous grower. Ripens about mid-season.

HAYMAKER—Very large, firm berry, good shipper, and one of the best for home use. A lighter red than the Cardinal. Plants are very hardy, and a good crop may be depended upon each year.

KANSAS—Plants are strong, vigorous grower, will stand extremes of drought and cold weather and still bear large crops. These will grow with less care than will any others of the "tip" varieties.

GROWN FROM ROOTS (Called Sucker Plants)

CUTHBERT—Considered the queen of the market, as they bring a higher price on the market than any other of the red raspberries. The fruit is large, dark, crimson, firm, sweet, rich, highly flavored, and as beautiful as strawberries. This is one of the hardest of the red raspberries and endures the extreme northern climates or the southern summers with equal vigor and productiveness.

MILLER'S RED—A very healthy grower that bears a good quality of bright red berries throughout the entire raspberry season. In fact, during some seasons, they bear fruit as late as August. An excellent snipper.

KING—A very early red berry that always commands a good price. The plants are hardy and productive and the King Raspberry is earlier than any other variety.



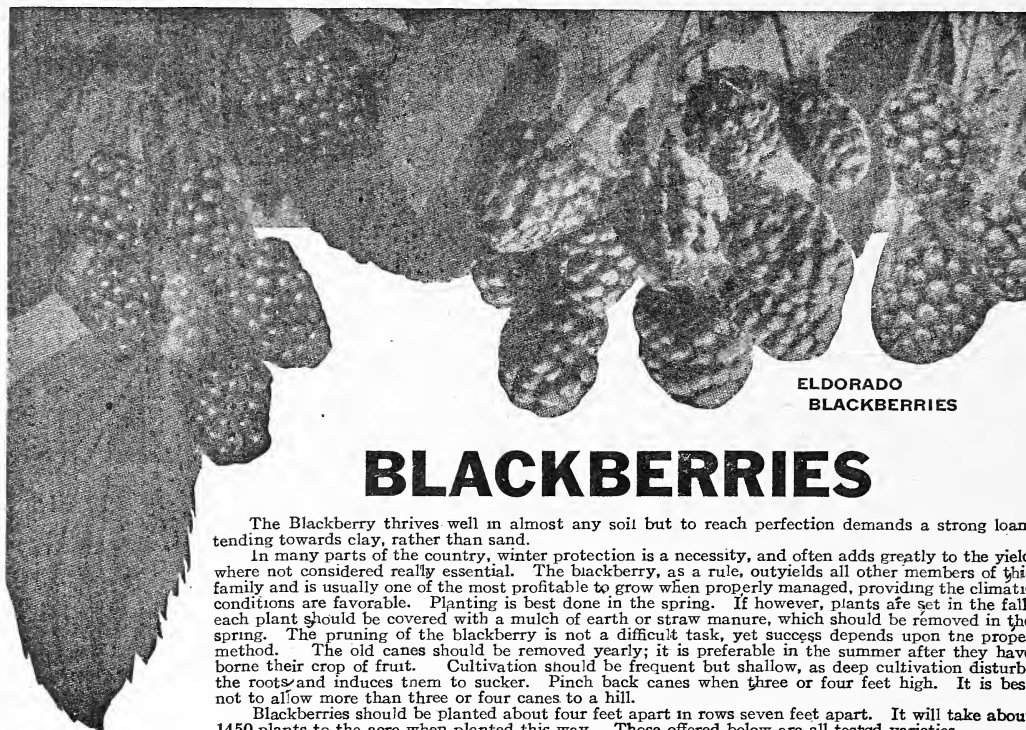
CUMBERLAND

Raspberry Prices

\$1.25 for 25; \$3.00 for 100;
\$12.00 for 500.

J. Fletcher Clark, Eaton, Md., writes: Enclosed find check for \$20.00 covering the Staymans Apple trees shipped me. They were fine. Accept thanks for your prompt delivery.

All stock that is not satisfactory will be made good, or money refunded.

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BLACKBERRIES

BLACKBERRIES

The Blackberry thrives well in almost any soil but to reach perfection demands a strong loam tending towards clay, rather than sand.

In many parts of the country, winter protection is a necessity, and often adds greatly to the yield where not considered really essential. The blackberry, as a rule, outyields all other members of this family and is usually one of the most profitable to grow when properly managed, providing the climatic conditions are favorable. Planting is best done in the spring. If however, plants are set in the fall, each plant should be covered with a mulch of earth or straw manure, which should be removed in the spring. The pruning of the blackberry is not a difficult task, yet success depends upon the proper method. The old canes should be removed yearly; it is preferable in the summer after they have borne their crop of fruit. Cultivation should be frequent but shallow, as deep cultivation disturbs the roots and induces them to sucker. Pinch back canes when three or four feet high. It is best not to allow more than three or four canes to a hill.

Blackberries should be planted about four feet apart in rows seven feet apart. It will take about 1450 plants to the acre when planted this way. Those offered below are all tested varieties.

List of Varieties

Agawam

Fruit medium size, jet black, sweet and tender to the core; a valuable variety for home use, being sweet as soon as black.

Blower

Originated in the celebrated small fruit belt of Chautauqua Co., N. Y., where it has been thoroughly tested for several seasons. Claimed to be the hardest, most productive, finest quality, and to bring on the market, the highest price of all blackberries. Has produced 2694 berries on one bush, 2720 quarts on one-third acre. Large size, jet black, good shipping properties, best quality, and unexcelled productiveness are main features of this splendid new sort.

Early Harvest

Best easily grown blackberry in cultivation. Fruit firm, of good quality; excellent shipper, good market variety. Needs some protection in winter.

Eldorado

This is a comparatively new variety, and has proven itself to be the best of all blackberries under cultivation. After once fruiting Eldorado, berry growers discard almost all other varieties which they have. It is very hardy, claimed to have no equal in this respect. Fruit very large, jet black, good shipper, good quality, and a great producer. We personally recommend this variety above any other that is offered.

Snyder

Very hardy, great producer, medium size and one of the best known varieties of blackberries, succeeding wherever planted. Over-production is its greatest fault.

Taylor

Berries of fine flavor, larger than Snyder, canes of vigorous growth, iron-clad hardness, and wonderfully prolific. Ripens late.

Prices of Blackberries

ALL BLACKBERRIES—10 PLANTS, 50c; 100, \$4.25; 500, \$20.00.
PLANT SPRING AND FALL, 5 TO 7 FEET APART.

DELICIOUS DEWBERRIES

The Dewberry is a trailing or vine form of the Blackberry. May be trained to run over stone piles, over rough embankments or rocky hillsides, and sometimes produce a very large crop of fruit annually over land where no other crop could be grown. The fruit is very large and always at a premium with the commission men or the open market. If they are planted where they can be cultivated, they should be plowed, and in the winter a coarse litter of mulch thrown over them. The vines will grow up through this and keep the fruit from the ground. We are only offering one variety which is considered the best of all Dewberries now in cultivation.

Lucretia

Fruit of high quality and very large, often one or two inches long and one inch in diameter. Perfectly hardy and a great bearer. 10 plants for 50c; 100 plants for \$3.00; 500 for \$12.00.

Planting the Home Grounds Let Us Help You Solve Your Problems

Ask Us the Questions

All inquiries will receive prompt attention if addressed to—

MR. S. W. MOORE, Horticultural Adviser.
Care of The Spring Hill Nurseries,
Tippecanoe City, Ohio.

Our answers will be based upon practical experience gained by years of service in tree planting and landscape work in various sections of the country, East and West.

We offer you the benefit of our experience along the various lines of horticultural work, including the selection of seeds, vines, shrubs and hardy perennials, for lawn, garden, border and hedge. Also bulbs for fall planting so that you may enjoy blossoms the first bright days of spring.



"These things he plants, who plants a tree
The joy that unborn eye shall see—"

well as the front by planting shrubs, trees and flowers? Give us a sketch showing its size and position of trees, walks, etc., and we will make a suitable selection of plants.

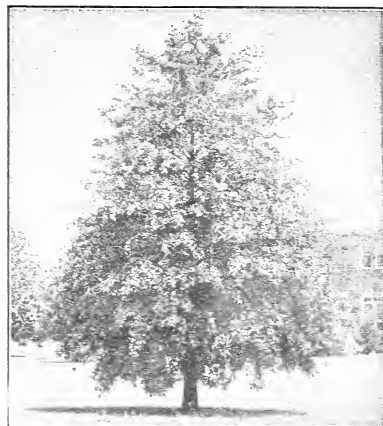
One way to keep the Boy on the Farm

Fruit is no longer a luxury but has become one of the necessities, so much so that the home grounds are incomplete without its fruit trees, grape vines and berries. Grounds containing no more than one acre may be so arranged and planted that a good supply of summer and fall fruit may be produced and the landscape made more attractive as well as adding very greatly to its actual value.



A home four years from a corn field

**ORDER
SOME
OF
OUR
SEEDS
THEY
ARE
THE BEST**



"A nation's growth from sea to sea,
Stirs in his heart who plants a tree."

Below is shown a home four years from A corn field that could be sold at a good price on account of the landscaping. Every tree, shrub, vine and plant you add to your home grounds will increase the value of your property many times their cost provided they are carefully selected and properly placed. This is our business. Call on us or write and we will attempt to beautify and help you to increase the value of your home grounds.

The back yards of many home grounds are seen more frequently by the family than the front. The housewife's work is such that the back yard must be seen by her many times each day. Why not have it look as



Fence covered with climbing roses

NUT TREES

English Filbert

These nuts grow wild throughout a good part of the United States. The nuts are medium size, nearly round, rich flavor of superior quality. The cultivation of these nuts is not very profitable. **2 to 3 feet, 50c each.**

Pecan

Pecan growing is becoming a favorite industry in the Southern and Western States and is quite profitable. The trees are long lived, quite hardy and productive. A species of hickory which may well rank first among our native nuts. They are large, thin-shelled, full kernels, and of rich flavor. **Seedlings, 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.**

English Walnut

A fine ornamental tree that grows well in the climate of the Middle States and bears freely. Large profits are realized from the orchards of California and the South and still large quantities of these nuts are imported. The nut is about the size of a black walnut; it has a thin shell and contains a large kernel which has a very delicate flavor. **2 to 3 feet, \$1.40 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each.**

White Walnut or Butternut

This tree is chiefly esteemed for its abundant crops of fruit, which abounds in oil, and is sweet and rich. The form of the nut is oblong, oval, and narrowed to a point at the extremity. The husk is covered with a sticky gum, and the surface of the nut is much rougher than any other of the walnuts. The tree is considered valuable as a park tree. **4 to 5 feet, \$1.00.**

Black Walnut

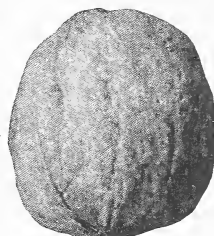
This is one of the largest, grandest, and most massive of our forest trees. It is a favorite of the landscape gardener. A very good tree for public planting on account of its rapid growth and handsome foliage. The timber of this tree is very valuable. The nuts are large, round, covered with a thick husk, and the kernel has a fine flavor, much liked by many people. **4 to 5 feet, 75c each.**

Japan Walnut

Large, spreading top of this tree makes it very ornamental. Trees very hardy, having stood a temperature of twenty degrees below zero without injury; begins to bear when three years old. The nuts are larger than the common hickory nut and borne in clusters of from ten to twenty. The shells are moderately thick, the kernels are sweet. Should be extensively planted, **3 to 4 feet, 75c each.**



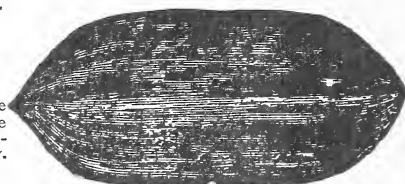
ENGLISH FILBERT



ENGLISH WALNUT

WEEPING TREES

The weeping trees are very interesting as well as beautiful and effective when rightly placed upon the lawn, or in the park. The charm of these trees is not their stateliness and grandeur so much as it is the odd and fantastic shapes which they so often assume. The best and most satisfactory are offered below.



PECAN

Weeping Elm

CAMPERDOWN (Scabra, var. Pendula)—One of the most distinct and picturesque of the weeping trees. Is hardy everywhere and not particular as to soil. The leaves are large, glossy, and dark green. Its vigorous branches have a uniform habit. **\$3.00 each.**

Weir's Cut Leaf Weeping Maple

This variety of the maple has very pendulous branches and the leaves are deeply cleft, giving them almost a fern-like appearance. **8 to 10 feet, \$2.00.**

Weeping Mulberry

(Alba, var. Tartarica Pendula)—We recommend this as one of the thriftiest, hardiest, and most beautiful of the weeping trees, with slender, willowy branches that sweep the ground, forming a beautiful tent of green. **2 year heads, \$2.50 each.**

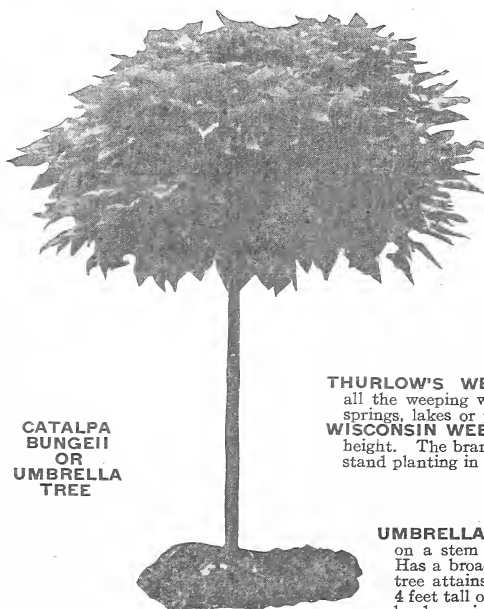
Weeping Willow

THURLOW'S WEEPING (Elegantissima)—A strong and the most vigorous grower of all the weeping willows. Used for planting in low places or on the banks of streams, springs, lakes or ponds, making a very beautiful effect. **6 to 8 feet, \$1.00 each.**

WISCONSIN WEEPING (Dolorosa)—A weeping tree of rarely more than 40 feet in height. The branches are long, slender, and pendulous. Trees are quite hardy and will stand planting in the northern states. **8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.**

Catalpa Bungei

UMBRELLA (Bungei)—Just the tree to be used for formal effects. Propagated on a stem of the Catalpa Speciosa. It makes a very unique ornamental tree. Has a broad, dome-shaped head at the top of a long, straight stem. When the tree attains its full growth, the top is often 15 feet in diameter and not over 3 to 4 feet tall on top of a strong stem from 5 to 7 feet in height. An exceptionally hardy variety. **6 to 7 feet, 1 year heads, \$1.50 each; 2 year heads, \$2.60.**



CATALPA
BUNGEII
OR
UMBRELLA
TREE

Ornamental Trees

Ornamental shade trees play an important part in the arrangement of all lawns and parks. They are often invaluable as windbreaks, supply shade, and help retain the moisture—conditions that are essential to the growth of many of the choicest shrubs and perennials.

There are trees noteworthy of their profusion of bloom; some for the unusual color of bark or leaves; and some for the strength of their limbs. Some trees will endure smoke much better than others, making them valuable for city planting.

Ash (Fraxinus)

AMERICAN WHITE (Americana)—A handsome, hardy, broad-headed, quick growing shade tree, sometimes reaching 120 feet in height. Very valuable in landscape work, for park and street planting. **6 to 8 ft., \$1.25**

EUROPEAN MOUNTAIN (Sorbus Aucuparia)—An ornamental deciduous tree with beautiful foliage, which turns orange-red in the fall. The fruits are showy and often remain all winter, if not eaten by the birds. Not particular as to soil. **6 to 8 feet, \$1.25.**

Beech (Fagus)

AMERICAN (Grandiflora)—A noble, native tree of large size and round, spreading habit. Attractive at all times but especially so in winter and early spring, when the bark is grayish-white. The medium sized, triangular-shaped nuts are sweet and fine flavored. **6 to 7 feet, \$1.50 each.**

PURPLE (Purpurea)—A strong, vigorous tree with beautiful purple leaves. Should have one in every park, cemetery, or lawn. Trees should be planted of the size of three to five feet. They are easy to transplant at this size, but are very hard to grow if transplanted when larger. **3 to 4 feet, \$1.50 each; 4 to 5 feet, \$2.25 each.**

Thorn (Crataegus)

MAY, or ENGLISH HAWTHORN (Oxyacantha)—**2 to 3 ft., 75c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.25 each.**

SCARLET FRUITED THORN (Coccinea)—Fine native variety; blooms in May, producing a profusion of white blossoms, succeeded by red fruits; large leaves. **2 to 3 ft., 50c; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00.**

WASHINGTON THORN (Cordata)—**2 to 3 ft., 75c; 3 to 4 ft., \$1.25 each.**

Dogwood (Cornus)

WHITE (Florida)—**2 to 3 ft., 60c each; 3 to 4 ft., 80c.**

PINK (Florida)—**3 to 4 ft., \$1.25; 4 to 6 ft., \$1.50.**

Elm (Ulmus)

Elms are considered the best of all the street trees and are used in greater quantities than probably any other kinds of varieties combined. In planting Elms, do not crowd them. They produce very fine trees, fine shaped heads, and live for centuries. All our Elms for ornamental or street purposes, are well rooted, nice, straight trunks, with well formed heads.

AMERICAN (Americana)—Very valuable for park planting, for avenues, and as a shade tree for lawns. One of the most majestic and graceful of our shade trees. Hardy, a rapid grower, resists drought well, and is long lived. **6 to 8 feet, 75c each; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.25 each; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.50 each.**

ENGLISH (Campestris)—Planted as avenue tree. Foliage remains green several weeks later than American Elm. **8 to 10 ft., \$1.50 each.**

Flowering Crab (Pyrus)

FLORIBUNDA—A small tree often thorny, covered with beautiful rose-red flowers about the time the leaves appear. The fruit is small, red, and borne on long, slender stalks. **3 to 4 feet, \$1.00.**

Kew Tree (Ginkgo)

MAIDEN HAIR (Bilboa)—A tall sparsely branched, usually slender tree, attaining 60 to 80 feet in height. Especially valuable for solitary planting to secure picturesque effects; growing in favor as a street tree because of upright habit and their freedom from insect injury. Leaves are fan-shaped. **6 to 8 feet, 85c each; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.50.**

Judas Tree (Cercis)

AMERICAN RED BUD (Canadensis)—A handsome ornamental tree growing twenty or thirty feet high. It has a broad irregular head and perfect, heart-shaped glossy leaves. Beautifully attractive in early spring when the leafless branches and twigs are covered with rosy pink blossoms. Very beautiful and attractive planted as single specimens or in groups. **3 to 4 feet, 50c each; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00 each.**

Linden (Tilia)

AMERICAN LINDEN (Basswood)—A beautiful, rapid-growing tree with large, broad leaves and fragrant flowers. The bloom furnishes the best of bee pasture. The linden should be extensively used as a lawn tree; it is also very valuable for park and street planting. It thrives in moist, rich soil, but does well in any good soil. **6 to 8 feet, \$1.00.**



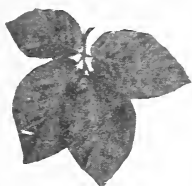
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RED OAK



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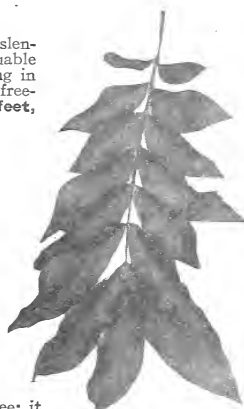
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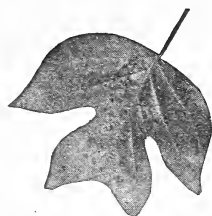
Magnolia

The Magnolias should be planted more often than is the case today. These beautiful trees have been praised in story and song for the last hundred years. Some varieties are not on the market, but the varieties we offer below are the best that can be had at the present time. Transplant in Spring only.

CUCUMBER TREE (*Magnolia Acuminata*)—Grows 60 to 90 feet. \$2.00 each.

SWEET or WHITE BAY (*M. Glanca*)—Slender tree or large shrub. \$2.00 each.

UMBRELLA TREE (*Magnolia Tripetala*)—Grows to 40 feet. \$2.50 each.



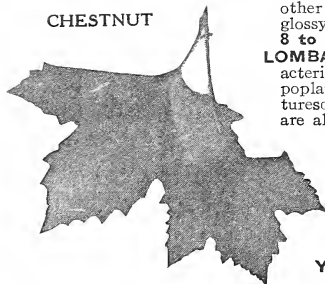
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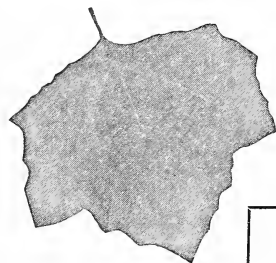
PERSIMMON



CHESTNUT



ORIENTAL PLANE



SYCAMORE

Maple (Acer)

BOX ELDER (*Negundo*)—Large, spreading tree of rapid growth; very hardy, and a good drought resister. Largely planted for windbreaks and timber. Leaves resemble those of the ash. 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

NORWAY (*Platanoides*)—Large, handsome tree with a compact rounded head of spreading branches, attaining a height of 75 feet. The broad, deep green leaves cast a dense, refreshing shade. One of the best and most beautiful trees for the street, the park, cemetery, or lawn planting. 8 to 10 feet, \$2.00 each; 10 to 12 feet, \$2.50 each.

PURPLE LEAVED NORWAY (*Schwedlerii*)—One of the most beautiful of the shade trees. In early spring the young leaves are bright red, changing to purplish green as they grow older. In autumn, they are golden yellow. The tree has a round, compact head and large leaves which cast a dense shade. 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00 each; 8 to 10 feet, \$3.00 each.

SUGAR, or ROCK (*Saccharum*)—Large trees to 120 feet with gray bark. Long lived. Grows well except in damp, soggy soils. An excellent street and shade tree of upright, dense growth. Leaves turning bright yellow and scarlet in autumn. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00 each; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.50 each.

SILVER (*Saccharinum*)—This is one of the best known of all the maples. It is an ornamental tree with wide, slender spreading branches. Thrives almost anywhere, but grows very rapidly in moist, rich soil. 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each.

Oak (Quercus)

PRICES on All Kinds of Oak Trees, 6 to 8 feet, \$1.25; 8 to 10 ft., \$2.00.

ENGLISH (*Robur*, var. *Pendunculata*)—A long lived tree with stout, spreading branches forming a broad, round-topped head. Leaves are dark green and somewhat smaller than those of our native species. Handsome tree for lawn or public grounds.

PIN (*Palustris*)—Handsome tree, especially when young. Often used for avenues; grows rapidly, prefers a somewhat moist soil. The foliage turns bright red in fall.

RED (*Rubra*)—Beautiful oak, rapid growth.

Poplar (Populus)

EUGENE, or CAROLINA (*Eugenei*)—One of the surest, most rapid growing trees. It will grow where other trees appear weak and starved. The leaves are glossy and fresh looking. Valuable for quick effects. 8 to 10 feet, 75c each; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.25 each.

LOMBARDY (*Nigra*, var. *Italica*)—One of the characteristic trees of Italy. With age, the Lombardy poplar becomes one of the most striking and picturesque trees, particularly when some of the sprouts are allowed to grow about the old stock. Excellent for landmarks. 6 to 8 ft., 50c; 8 to 10 ft., \$1.00; 10 to 12 ft., \$1.25.

Tulip Tree (Liriodendron)

YELLOW WOOD (*Tulipifera*)—Tall, handsome, hardy, ornamental, pyramidal habit, rapid growth. Has clean foliage, light bluish green; rarely attacked by insects, fragrant yellow and orange flowers in June. 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00 each.

Willow (Salix)

BAY LEAF OR LAUREL LEAF (*Pentandra*)—4 to 5 ft., 75c; 8 to 10 ft., \$1.25.

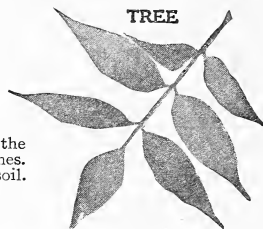
GOLDEN BARK (*Vitellina*, var. *Aurea*)—8 to 10 feet, \$1.25 each.

PUSSY WILLOW

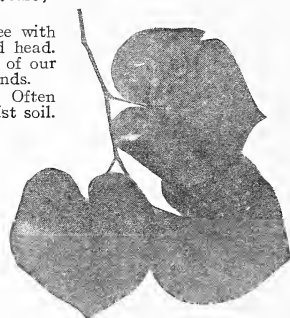
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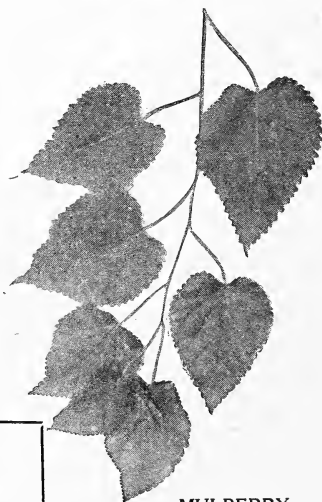
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TREE

WILLOW



RED BUD OR JUDAS TREE



MULBERRY



AN EVERGREEN PLANTING IN WINTER.

Evergreens and Conifers

Evergreens are rapidly increasing in popularity, and are becoming more and more appreciated for their ornamental beauty, which continues throughout the whole year. No lawn or park is now considered complete without these trees, and for artistic foundation planting they are unexcelled.

We are now giving special attention to the propagation and culture of the choicest varieties best adapted to the various uses now made of evergreens.

Our evergreens have all been several times transplanted, so have a fine root system, and with this they will readily establish themselves when planted on the lawn or elsewhere.



A PYRAMID ARBOR VITAE HEDGE

Arbor Vitae (Thuya)

AMERICAN (*Occidentalis*)—The foliage is of a light green color. This is a very good tree for grouping, for tubs and vases, and for formal uses they are unsurpassed. They are very quick growers and may be trimmed to any desired height. Fine for hedges. 18 to 24 in., 75c each; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.25 each.

GEORGE PEABODY'S GOLDEN (Var. *Lutea*)—This well known variety of the Golden Arborvitae is very handsome and desirable. Very useful in mass planting 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50.

GLOBE (Var. *Globosa*)—A dense, dark green form of the arborvitae, growing naturally in globe form. Of dwarf habit. 15 to 18 inches, \$1.40.

ORIENTAL (*Biota Orientalis*)—A pyramidal tree finally attaining a height of 25 feet, very compact form. Foliage is bright green. 18 to 24 in., \$1.25 each; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 each.

PYRAMIDAL (Var. *Pyramidalis*)—Forms a tall, slender column of densely branched, dark green foliage. Very graceful tree having a number of uses. 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 each; 3 to 4 ft., \$3.25 each.

SIBERIAN (Var. *Sibirica*)—Globe-shaped tree, lower and denser than the type, with stout branchlets. Foliage is bright green all the year. A very desirable sort. 18 to 24 in., \$1.45 each.

VERNAENIS (Var. *Vervaeana*)—Of smaller and denser habit than the type. Branchlets are smaller with yellowish foliage, bronzy in winter. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.50 each.

Cypress (Retinospora)

GOLDEN JAPAN (Plumosa, var. Aurea)—This is a very striking and useful evergreen in many ways, as it is one of the few really golden evergreens. It makes a strong and effective contrast with the darker foliage of other evergreens. It is low branched and a very vigorous grower and is unsurpassed for effect in grouping. 18 to 24 in., \$2.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00.

DWARF (Obtusa Nana Gracilis Compacta)—Dwarf, compact form of the Retinospora Obtusa with fine foliage and graceful habit. Very desirable variety. 12 in., \$2.00.

PLUMED (Plumosa)—Young growth of this variety is a beautiful golden. Is very desirable. 1½ to 2 feet, \$2.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00 each.

SAWARA (Pisifera)—A tall-growing tree with horizontal branches; branchlets flattened, and somewhat pendulous. One of the best Retinospora, being highly ornamental and well known. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.50 each.

Fir (Abies)

BALSAM (Balsamea)—An ornamental evergreen that is very hardy. The fragrant leaves are dark green above and pale beneath. For ornamental purposes it is unexcelled. Grows rather rapidly when young. Require good drainage. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00.

NORDMAN'S (Nordmaniana)—One of the most beautiful of all evergreens. Dark green foliage above, with silvered white below the leaves. Thrives well in any soil, but desires a slightly protected position. Fine for specimen plants. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.50 each.

Hemlock (Tsuga)

HEMLOCK SPRUCE (Canadensis)—This is one of the most graceful and handsome of the evergreens and is especially valuable for hedgings of evergreens, windbreaks, and for specimen planting. The lumber of this tree is much used for frames of buildings. Finally attains a height of 70 to 80 feet. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$5.50.

Juniper (Juniperus)

CHINESE (Chinensis, var. Pfitzeriana)—A tree forming a broad pyramid with horizontally spreading branches. 18 to 24 inches, \$3.00 each.

SCHOTTI—A dwarfish, dense, pyramidal form with bright green and light foliage. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00.

GRAY CARPET (Sabina, var. Tamariscifolia)—A low, procumbent evergreen; the needle-like leaves usually appear in groups of three, slightly incurved, dark and bright green, with a white line above. Extremely hardy. 15 to 18 inches, \$2.00 each.

IRISH JUNIPER (Communis, var. Hibernica)—A narrow, columnar form, with upright branches, deep green, tips of branches erect. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.25 each.

RED CEDAR (Virginiana)—This evergreen attains a height of 100 feet, with conical head and spreading or upright branches. The leaves are spiny pointed. 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 each.

SAVIN (Sabina)—A low, wide-spreading, thickly branched evergreen shrub, rarely 10 feet high. 15 to 18 inches, \$1.75 each.

SILVERY RED CEDAR (Glauca)—A vigorous-growing form of the Junipers, with glaucous foliage. Is very desirable. 18 to 24 inches, \$3.00; 2 to 3 feet, \$4.00.

When filling orders for evergreens, the trees are dug with a ball of earth attached to the roots and burlap around the roots, thus protecting them at all times.

Pine (Pinus)

AUSTRIAN (Austica)—This species is very popular for grouping or as specimens. A very tall, massive tree, with heavy, plumed, spreading branches and rather stiff, dark green needles. Most of these species make a vigorous growth when young and when older they are very picturesque. Should be planted when young from the nursery row. Prices quoted on request.

DWARF MOUNTAIN (Montana, var. Mughus)—This pine is very dwarf in habit, with dark brown branches, bright green leaves, stout and acutish. The cones are ovate, a light gray in color, surrounded by a blackish ring. The tree is broader than it is high, forming a dark, domeshaped bush. Very effective for rocky places. Prices quoted on request.

JACK (Ponderosa)—One of the tallest and one of the important forest trees of western North America. It would be difficult to overrate its beauty. It probably grows faster than any other conifer. Very desirable for grouping. Prices quoted on request.

SCOTCH (Sylvestris)—This grows to be a large tree, 70 to 120 feet in height, with spreading, somewhat pendulous branches, pyramidal when young, with broad and round top, often picturesque head in old age. Quite hardy. Prices quoted on application.

WHITE (Strobus)—A valuable, ornamental, hardy pine, of rapid growth, symmetrical when young, picturesque in old age. No tree is better adapted to break up a monotonous skyline of plantation in Northern parks. Prices quoted on request.

Spruce (Picea)

COLORADO BLUE (Pungens)—A handsome and very hardy tree of symmetrical habit, with light, sometimes almost silvery white foliage. Good in landscape work. 18 to 24 inches, \$6.00.

COMPACT (Var. Excelsa Compacta)—A dwarf, compact form; originated in the Arnold Arboretum. Light green foliage. 12 to 18 inches, \$2.50 each.

KOSTER'S BLUE (Kosteri)—The best of the blue spruces. Perfectly hardy and may be grown anywhere but thrives best in moderately moist, sandy soil. A most attractive tree on account of its silvery blue foliage, which densely crowds the branches. 2 to 3 feet, \$12.00 each.

NORWAY (Excelsa)—This tree is extensively planted in many of the States. Is of rapid growth, with graceful habits and dark green foliage. Is one of the best conifers to plant for shelter and windbreaks. 18 to 24 inches, 75c; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00.

ORIENTAL (Orientalis)—An exceedingly graceful spruce with dark, glossy foliage. It is of slow growth, therefore valuable for small gardens. It holds its lower limbs for many years and eventually attains the height of 120 feet. 18 to 24 inches, \$2.50.

WHITE (Alba)—A very ornamental tree similar to the Norway Spruce. One of the best for cold climates. Is an upright, compact grower, and retains its branches to the ground. It can be distinguished by its grayish-blue color and quick growth. It matures while comparatively young and lives to a good old age and is altogether very desirable. 18 to 24 inches, \$1.00.

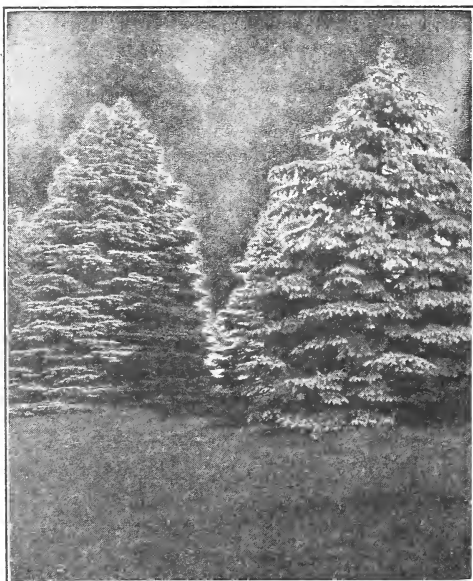
Douglas Spruce (Pseudotsuga)

FALSE TSUGA (Taxifolia)—This is the tallest and one of the important forest trees of western North America. It would be difficult to overrate its beauty. It probably grows faster than any other conifer. Very desirable for grouping. 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00.

Yew (Taxus)

JAPANESE (Cuspidata)—A most desirable dark green foliaged plant, suited for single specimens or for grouping. 18 to 24 inch, \$3.25.

SHORT LEAVED (Cuspidata, var. Brevifolia)—This is a dwarf very compact form of the yew, with leaves shorter than the type. 18 to 24 in., \$3.25.



BEAUTIFUL SPECIMENS OF NORWAY SPRUCE

HARDY PLANTS ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE FOR CEMETERY PLANTING

FOR the past few years we have had a great many inquiries from our customers asking about suitable plants for Cemetery planting.

We feel that we would like to encourage this class of planting as much as possible, because we believe that a suitable shrub or plant will express more sentiment than the costliest of stone. We know that ordinary monuments seem rather cold and uninviting unless they are relieved with the soft color of nature.

In order to assist those who are interested, we are devoting an entire page to various classes of plants most suitable for Cemetery planting, and want to assure our customers that we will take special interest in orders from this department.

Regals Lily

One of the most beautiful of all known lilies. It is a new introduction from Northern China, and once it becomes generally known it will be used exclusively as an Easter Lily.

It is very hardy and will bloom out doors in June or early July. Mature bulbs produce from 5 to 15 flowers on a single stem which retain their freshness over quite a long period. Price, 3 year old bulbs, 60c each; 2 for \$1.00; 12 for \$5.50.

Philadelphus Virginal

One of the most beautiful shrubs of recent introduction. It blooms very freely, the extremely white flowers produce on wood of the same years growth. It grows about 3½ to 4 feet high, and plants on our own ground last year produced flowers all Summer. Price, 2 to 3 ft. plants, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75.

Flowering Almond

A very hardy, dwarf shrub, covered with small, double flowers about ½ inch in diameter in the early Spring. It is very attractive and dainty. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Pink Flowering Snowball

VIBURNUM CARSLII—A beautiful dwarf shrub of the Snowball family. It bears an abundance of dainty flowers, clear, pink color. The foliage is very attractive with shiny, deep green leaves, and is altogether a very desirable plant. Price, \$2.00 each.

Biota Nana Aurea

This is commonly known as the Golden Chinese Arborvitae. It is a beautiful, compact, little evergreen of a dwarf nature. It has a clear yellow color in the springtime which gradually gives way to a yellowish-green during the winter months. Its size, color, compact habit of growth and foliage makes it especially desirable for Cemetery planting. Price, 18 inch plants, \$3.75 each.

New Rose Claudius Pernet

This rose is a recent introduction and has been awarded 3 medals in Europe.

It is the only perfectly hardy everblooming yellow rose in existence. The buds are long and pointed and the flowers when they open are a very bright yellow with a dark center. Blooms all summer. Price, big plants, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.50.

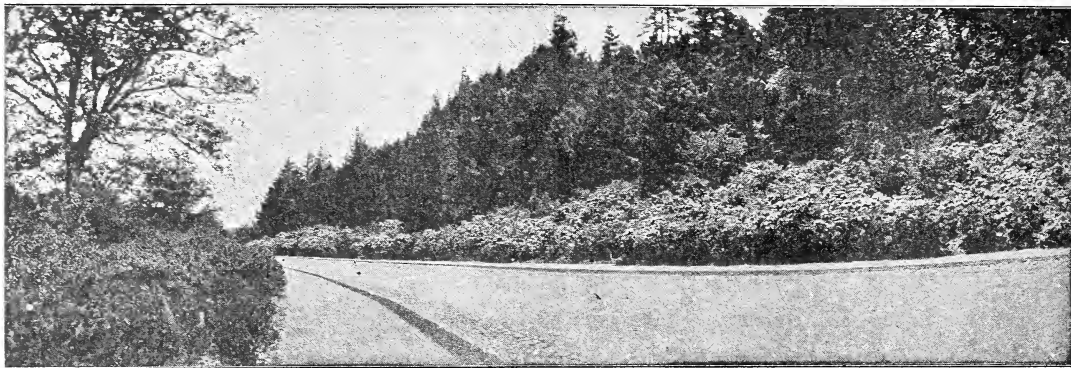
Pachysandra

JAPANESE SPURGE—This is an evergreen trailing plant 6 to 18 inches high and forms broad mats of bright, shiny, green foliage. A good ground cover which will grow in all shady locations, and the only plant that will thrive under pine trees. Price, strong field grown plants, 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

Evergreen Creepers

ENGLISH IVY—A hardy evergreen climbing vine with dark green leaves. It is a true evergreen and retains its bright, green leaves all winter and much used for Cemetery work. Price, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

EUONYMUS RADICANS—A hardy evergreen vine, or will form a spreading shrub where it can not climb. Valuable for covering graves, especially desirable for shady locations. Price, 3 year old plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.



A BEAUTIFUL DRIVEWAY

Landscape Department

A. J. VOCKE, LANDSCAPE ARTIST

A Landscape Gardener of many years' experience, whose service we are sure will be of great value to our patrons.

In the past we have had many letters from our customers asking for information and advice on laying out and beautifying their home grounds.

To assist such of our customers, who desire to properly plant their grounds in the most satisfactory manner, we have opened up a Landscape Department under the supervision of Mr. Vocke, who is a Landscape Artist by education and experience, and is gifted in handling and placing plants so as to produce the most attractive and satisfying appearance. In the planting of lawns and private estates, either large or small, he can properly outline the same for you, and save you from making errors, which are both expensive and disappointing.

Let him assist you in beautifying your surroundings. His advice and suggestions will be given freely, and will be of immeasurable benefit to you. All inquiries addressed to him, in care of Spring Hill Nurseries, Tipppecanoe City, Ohio, will be promptly answered.

We Design and Plant Park, Cemetery and Factory Grounds

We especially solicit correspondence from anyone interested in planting large estates, school grounds, or any other large public or private grounds.

The vast increase in popularity of the planting of grounds in the last 15 or 20 years, is an indication of its value. It would be difficult to overestimate the influence for good that flowers have over our lives from early youth. Well planned school grounds, not only enhance the beauty of the buildings by providing a natural framework or setting, but also exert a wonderful influence over the children, as children are especially influenced by the good or ill of their surroundings.

Each separate plot of ground, whether to be used as park, cemetery or home grounds presents peculiar problems of its own when it comes to developing the landscape. These problems can best be solved by an organization, familiar by training and experience not only with the nature of trees and plants, and their habits, but also with the engineering problems and possibilities. In other words, to incorporate in the general scheme, the Pergola, Fountain, Pool, Rockery, walls and drives and other features, wherever appropriate, is also a part of the landscape service we offer you.

We will be glad to hear from anyone interested in work of this kind.

Address All Correspondence to A. J. Vocke, Mgr., Landscape Department, and It Will Receive Prompt and Personal Attention.



EVERGREENS MAKE FINE ENTRANCE PLANTINGS



A PLANTING OF HYDRANGEA HILLS OF SNOW

Hardy Deciduous Shrubs

A walk with nature in her undisturbed retreats will soon reveal to her student and lover that she has been most lavish with certain species of shrubs in the various localities. These varieties are frequently good to be used when beautifying the home surroundings, but aside from these, many other varieties are always needed to add variety and many times to aid in making up the succession of bloom.

In many ways nature may be followed. It has been noted among other things that isolated specimens are seldom if ever to be found. Here we learn to plant in masses or groups for best results. Do not delay another season in planting at least some shrubs, for they add materially to the beauty and attractiveness of any home or public place.

Shrubs provide material of a permanent character for the adornment of property at less cost and more effectively than anything else.

Almond (Prunus)

DOUBLE FLOWERING ALMOND (*Amygdalus*, var. *Plena*)—Pink and white varieties. Hardy as far north as Ontario. Flowers very double and appear in early spring. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.

PURPLE LEAVED PLUM (*Cerasifera*, var. *Pissardi*)—One of the best of all purple-leaved trees, holding much of its color in the American summers. It seems to be hardy wherever the common plum is. 3 to 4 ft., \$1.00 each.

TRILOBA—A most desirable bush. Hardy in central New York and Ontario. The flowers are solitary, and mostly rose colored, sometimes white, usually double. The fruit small and red. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each.

Althea (Rose of Sharon)

HIBISCUS SYRIACUS—One of the commonest of the ornamental shrubs, and hardy as far north as Ontario. The shrub is valuable for specimen planting and its bright green leaves and great abundance of variously colored flowers make it very effective when planted as a hedge. The color ranges from blue-purple to violet-red, flesh color, and white. There are also double forms. The plants we offer are strong, field grown, two and three years old. See Hedge Section for prices on hedge size plants.

JEANNE D'ARC—Double white.

RUBIS—Single red.

TOTUS ALBUS—Single white.

AULISSIMA—Purple. Shrub form.

BOULE DE FEU—Double red. Shrub form.

MONSTROUS—Double red.

Prices, 2 to 3 feet, 35c Each; 3 for \$1.00.

Aralia Spinosa

SPINOSA (*Hercules Club*, *Angelica Tree*, *Devi's Walking Stick*)

—A shrub, sometimes growing to 20 feet in height. Stout, prickly stems, large leaves, enormous clusters of flowers, give this species a very sub-tropical appearance. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

FOR ILLUSTRATION, SEE PAGE 37.

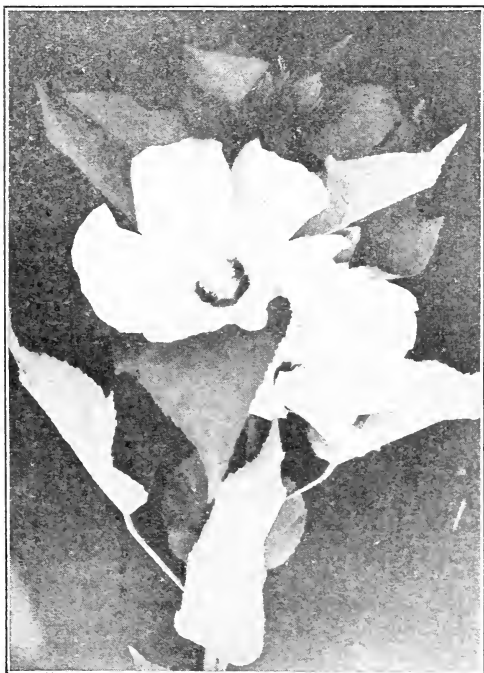
Bastard Indigo (Amorpha)

(*Fruticosa*)—An interesting ornamental shrub of spreading habit with fine, feathery foliage, remarkable for the unusual color of its dark violet-purplish flowers. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

Crepe Myrtle

(*Lagerstroemia*.) The most gorgeous of all blooming shrubs for the South. Blooms throughout the summer, withstands drought wonderfully. It is very effective for hedge and is at its best when pruned every winter and not allowed to grow in tree form. A strong grower and will grow 15 to 20 feet high, making immense heads of crepe-like pink flowers. Not hardy in the northern states.

Price, strong plants, each, 35c; 3 for \$1.00.



ALTHEA OR ROSE OF SHARON



PHILADELPHUS
(See Page 38.)

Blue Spirea

(Caryopteris)

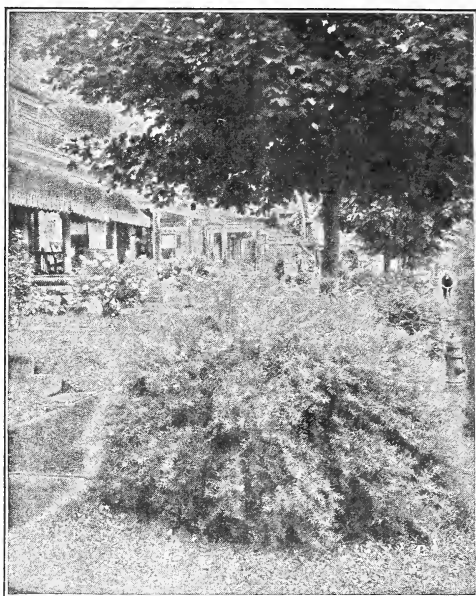
MASTACANTHUS—Ornamental, woody plants grown in their lavender-blue flowers profusely in late summer and autumn. Not altogether hardy, as the tops frequently winter kill almost to the ground, but will throw up numerous shoots that will flower the same season. Not strictly a spirea. **50c each; 3 for \$1.25.**

Barberry (Berberis)

These beautiful shrubs are very valuable for planting in the shrubby border or for hedges. They readily adapt themselves to almost any location.

JAPANESE (Thunbergii)—Of all the barberries in cultivation this one is probably the best known, the most planted, and the most effective. It is one of the valuable introductions we have received from Japan and is especially to be desired because of its low, dense, horizontal growth, the bright fall coloring leaves, and the brilliant red berries that remain fresh and attractive until the following spring. It is quite hardy and will thrive equally well in shade or in sunny locations. Especially valuable for planting along walks and drives and for massing in the border. **12 to 18 inches, 25c each; 18 to 24 inches, 40c each.**

HOLLY LEAVED MAHONIA (Mahonia, var. Aquifolia)—One of the evergreen glories of the ornamental gardens. It has deep green spines at set places; showy bright colored yellow flowers in early spring, followed by small berries of a bluish color. Very effective in grouping with deciduous shrubs, perennials, etc. The foliage is similar to our Christmas holly. Very effective for table decorations. **10 to 12 inches, \$1.25 each.**



JAPAN BARBERRY

Broom Brush (Genista)

DYER'S GREENWOOD (Tinctoria)—An erect shrub to three feet. It bears golden-yellow blossoms in June and attracts much attention when planted in masses. Good for rockeries and dry hills, or for planting on dry banks. **50 cents each.**

Buckthorn (Rhamus)

CATHARTICA—A hardy ornamental shrub or small tree growing to about 12 feet in height, and usually thorny. The inconspicuous greenish flowers appear in auxiliary clusters shortly after the leaves and are followed by black berries. **4 to 5 feet, 50c each.**

Dogwood (Cornus)

CORNELIA CHERRY (Mascula)—Is a hardy ornamental shrub, or small tree of dense growth, with glossy leaves; very attractive in early spring with its yellow flowers and again in the fall with its scarlet fruits. **2 to 3 feet, 40c each.**

ELEGANTISSIMA—This is a beautiful plant. The leaves marked with white. Very snowy. **18 to 24 inches, 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.**

RED TWIGGED (Sanguinea)—A handsome shrub growing from 10 to 12 feet high with purple or dark blood-red branches. Flowers greenish-white in dense cymes. The fruit is black. **18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 3 feet, 40c each.**

SIBERIAN (Alba, var. Siberica)—Tall shrub with bright, coral-red branches, making them very ornamental, even after flowers are gone. **18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 3 feet, 40c.**

VARIEGATED (Var. Spathii)—This variety is especially showy and desirable in the shrubby border. Leaves variegated with yellow. **18 to 24 in., 50c each; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.**

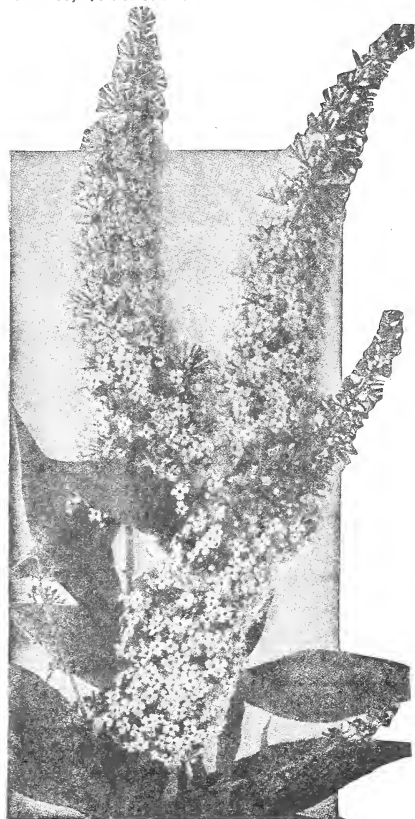
WHITE (Florida)—A hardy native shrub with handsome foliage, often assuming a brilliant fall coloring; large, white, snowy flowers appearing in May before the leaves. **18 to 24 inches, 25c.; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 feet, 50c each.**

Butterfly Bush (Buddleia)

SUMMER LILAC (Varibilis Magnifica)—This shrub of comparative recent introduction has grown into favor almost immediately. It is a semi-herbaceous plant, by which we mean in some latitudes it will die down to the ground; and while perfectly hardy, we recommend covering the roots with manure, leaves or other material as winter approaches, as it will help to produce a heavy growth the next season. It is very hardy; blooms the first season, usually from June until frost; the blossoms are borne on long, graceful stems, which terminate in tapering panicles of lilac-colored flowers that are of miniature size, the flower head is frequently ten inches long. **40c each; 3 for \$1.00.**

Button Bush (Cephalanthus)

OCCIDENTALIS—A good sized native shrub, bearing globular heads of white flowers in July. Delights in a wet soil, but will thrive on upland. **50c each.**



BUTTERFLY BUSH

Deutzia

An elegant species of strong, erect-growing shrubs. Especially prized for the beautiful clusters of blossoms in May.

PRIDE OF ROCHESTER—Showy, early, large-flowering sort; blossoms in May before others. Grows 6 to 8 feet high. White flowers, large and double. One of the best of the Deutzias. 3 to 4 feet, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

LEMOINEI—Spreading shrub to three feet in height. Its pure white flowers appear in broad panicles. A very desirable shrub, more vigorous and with more showy flowers than some of the other forms. Excellent for forcing. Very hardy. 18 to 24 inches, 50c each.

GRACILIS—A handsome, dwarf, and bushy little shrub with slender, often arching branches. A neat shrub that blooms in May, clothing its branches in pure white flowers. Valuable for shrubberies or for forcing. 12 to 18 inches, 50c each.

Elder (Sambucus)

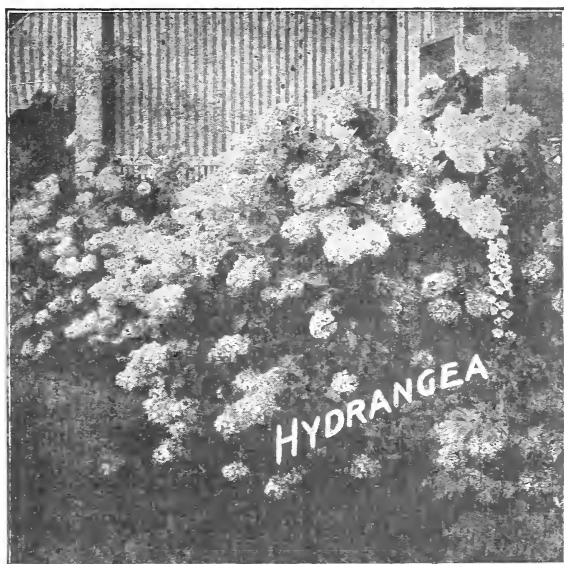
AMERICAN (Canadensis)—A valuable addition to the shrubby family. It grows from five to twelve feet in height. Its flowers are white in flat cymes the fruit is black and ripens in August. 2 to 3 feet, 60c each.

GOLDEN (Var. Aurea)—A variety of the American with foliage of a beautiful golden color. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

Globe Flower (Kerria)

JAPANESE ROSE (Japonica)—One of the first shrubs brought from Japan. It grows from four to eight feet high and as broad as high. Very attractive throughout the year; in winter the light green branches, in early June when the yellow flowers appear in great abundance; and again in autumn when the leaves have changed to a clear yellow. Not quite hardy in the northern states. 18 to 24 inches, 50c.

TRY OUR SEEDS



HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

Golden Bell (Forsythia)

FORTUNE'S (Var. Fortunei)—Grows with upright or arching branches. 18 to 24 inches, 30c each; 3 to 4 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

WEeping (Suspensa)—Highly ornamental, free flowering shrub, growing to 5 feet; the branches often drooping on the ground and taking root. They grow in almost any garden soil and are hardy north. The golden yellow flowers appear in early spring. Excellent for margins or groups. 2 to 3 ft., 35c each; 3 to 4 ft., 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

Honeysuckle (Lonicera)

ALBERTA—A small shrub with slender branches, rigid and spiny in high altitudes. The rosy pink, fragrant flowers are borne on slender and erect stems. May and June. 18 to 24 in., 25c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 ft., 50c each.

FRAGRANT BUSH (Fragrantissima)—Not quite hardy north of Detroit. It has handsome half evergreen foliage and blooms very early. Sweet-scented though the flowers are not very showy. 18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c each.

MORROWI—A very decorative shrub that reaches six feet in height. The beautiful, pure white flowers appear in May or June and are followed by red fruits, which remain until late autumn. 18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 ft., 50c each.

TARTARIAN (Tartarica)—This is one of the old-time favorite shrubs. It attains about ten feet in height and is extremely easy to cultivate. The pink, white, or cream-colored flowers are produced in pairs. The upper lip is deeply divided and spreading. 18 to 24 inches, 30c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 feet, 50c each.

Hydrangea

ARBORESCENS (Var. Sterilis), (Hills of Snow)—Almost all of the flowers are sterile. Very showy variety, excellent for borders. 18 to 24 in., 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.

TREE HYDRANGEA—Flowers similar to the Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora, only they are grafted to form a tree. 4 ft. trees \$1.25 each.

PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA—This is the best known form of the hydrangea. A hardy, ornamental shrub to 15 feet with dense, globose head. The large, white flowers appear in August and September. The sterile flowers changing later to purplish. 18 to 24 inches, 50c each; 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.

OAK LEAF—One of the most useful flowering shrubs. Foliage large, very dark green, shaped like oak leaves. Flowers in flat clusters, tinted with yellow. A very interesting shrub. Price, 50c each; \$1.40 for 3.



DEUTZIA LEMOINE



ARALIA SPINOSA (HERCULES CLUB
(SEE PAGE 35.)



A HEDGE OF PHILADELPHUS VIRGINAL.

Philadelphus Virginal

Above is shown a reproduction of a Philadelphus Virginal hedge in full flower. To the right is shown a cut of an individual stem of this famous new shrub.

This is a new and wonderful addition to the Mock Orange family but is far beyond anything in this line that has been brought out in the past. It is without question one of the most beautiful shrubs grown and once it becomes known will be planted on every home ground. Because of its being new the supply of this variety is scarce and high priced, but we are going to offer these at the following low prices as long as our supply of this shrub lasts. Price, 60c each; 10 for \$5.00. Large 2 to 3 ft. plants, \$1.00 each; 10 for \$9.00.



THE FLOWER.

Mock Orange (Philadelphus, Syringa)

GRANDIFLORA—Large, flowering shrub growing to about eight feet, with spreading branches, usually upright and vigorous, flowers slightly fragrant. Rapid grower and most hardy. 18 to 24 in., 30c; 2 to 3 feet, 40c each.

LEMOINEI—Graceful shrub with slender, arching branches. The blossoms appear in three to seven inch short racemes, very sweet scented. 18 to 24 in., 35c; 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

CORONARIUS (Mock Orange)—This is not quite as showy as some of the other species and of somewhat stiff habit, but deliciously fragrant. 18 to 24 in., 30c; 2 to 3 feet, 40c each.

VAR. AUREUS—Similar to the above variety except that the foliage is a beautiful golden color. 12 to 18 inches, 50c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c each.

BOUQUET BLANC—A real white bouquet of immense size. We can only urge you to include it with your order; we know you will not be disappointed, because it has no equal anywhere. The time, experience, and patience to produce such wonderful plants as these can only be realized by those who have worked with them. 18 to 24 inches, 55c; 2 to 3 ft., 75c each.



Old Fashioned Purple

Pearl Bush (Exochorda)

GRANDIFLORA—A well known garden shrub. When in bloom it is dazzling white; most brilliant shrub of the season; thrives in any good garden soil; hardy. Remarkable for the structure of the fruit, which is composed of five small, bony carpels, the central axis in a star-like manner. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each.

Lilac (Syringa)

The Lilacs are among the most popular and ornamental of the flowering shrubs, and no garden or park is complete without a collection of them. Some varieties are very fragrant while others are scentless.

JAPONICA (Japanese Tree Lilacs)—Creamy white. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each.

PERSIAN LILAC—A very hardy sort, native of Persia. Bright purple flowers. Price, 2 to 3 ft., 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

VULGARIS (Old fashioned Purple)—The most fragrant of all, and the kind our grandmothers used to plant. Price, 2 to 3 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

VULGARIS ALBA (Old fashioned White)—A very popular old standard white variety. Price, 2 to 3 ft., 50c each; 3 for \$1.40.

New Lilacs of Merit

YOUR CHOICE OF ANY 3 VARIETIES BELOW FOR \$2.50
PRESIDENT GREY—Large blue flowers. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.

MARIE LA GRAY—Pure white; heavy clusters of flowers. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.

MADAME LEMOINE—Another fine double white variety. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.

LUDWIG SPAETH—A very deep red. 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.

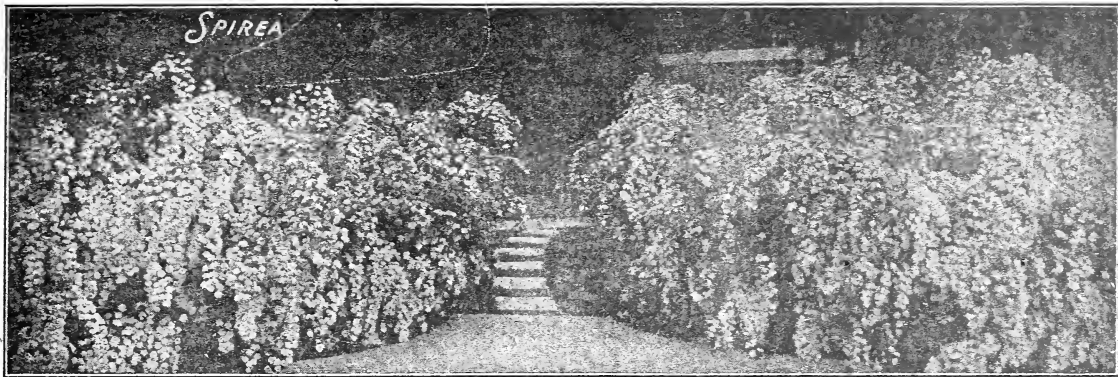
PRIVET (Ligustrum) SEE PAGES 42 and 43.

Quince (Cydonia)

JAPAN (Japonica)—Common garden form, growing from three to six feet with spreading, spiny branches. The scarlet-red flowers appear before the leaves and are followed by globular fruits from one and one-half to two inches high, yellowish-green. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

Locust (Acacia)

FLOWERING LOCUST (Hispida)—This shrub is valued for its elegant clusters of rose-colored flowers, which expand toward the last of May and continue for some time. The branches resemble the Moss Rose. Beautiful for planting in masses. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.



THE MOST POPULAR OF ALL SHRUBS—SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI

The Spireas

There is no more dependable shrub than Spirea. Its graceful foliage and growth and the beautiful blossoms are a delight of the season through.

A selection of varieties planted in masses or rows will assure continuous bloom to the end of summer. The early fall frosts touch the leaves with scarlet, which harmonizes beautifully with the surrounding colors of the fall plants.

Our stock of Spirea is unusually good this year and we have anticipated a large sale of this most desirable shrub. Tell us the effect you want to produce and we will advise kinds. Order early so as to be sure of having the first selection.

ARGUTA—A very vigorous grower and one of the most free flowering and showy of the early Spireas. Is quite hardy. The pure white flowers appear in May. 18 to 24 in., 40c; 2 to 3 ft., 60c each.

BUMALDA—Beautiful variety of shrub, two feet high, rarely higher, flowers are whitish to deep pink, appearing in July and August. 12 to 18 in., 45c; 18 to 24 inches, 60c each.

BILLARDIA—A shrub to six feet in height, with oblong leaves, usually grayish beneath, at least when young. Flowers are bright pink and five to eight inches long, tomentose panicles usually rather narrow and dense. July and August. 3 to 4 feet, 40c each; 3 for \$1.10.

VAN. ANTHONY WATERER—A very free-flowering, compact, dwarf shrub, with bright crimson flowers in dense corymbs. A very desirable variety that blooms all summer. 12 to 18 inches, 60c each.

CALLOSA—Handsome shrub of low growth, with the young unfolding leaves of a pretty purplish color; flowers small, pale to deep pink in July. 50c each.

REEVESIANA—A very handsome shrub with large, pure white flowers, but only half hardy north. They bloom in May and June and grow to almost four feet in height. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

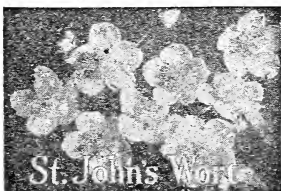
PRUNIFOLIA—Is a graceful shrub, six feet high with slender, upright branches. The ovate leaves are one to two inches long. Flowers are pure white on slender pedicels in three to six-flowered umbels. 2 to 3 feet, 75c.

VAN HOUTTEI—This is one of the most beautiful or perhaps the most beautiful of the early blooming Spirea, and is quite hardy. It grows to a height of six feet with arching branches that are completely covered with pure white flowers in May. Very effective when planted as a hedge. 18 to 24 in., 25c; 2 to 3 ft., 40c; 3 to 4 ft., 50c.

THUNBERGII—Five feet high. A very graceful shrub; early flowering. The slender arching branches clothed with feathery, bright green foliage, turning in the fall to orange and scarlet. Almost hardy, but tips of branches are sometimes killed by severe cold. The pure white flowers about one-third of an inch across, appearing in April or May. 18 to 24 inches, 65c each.

SORSBIFOLIA—This is an upright shrub three to five feet high that closely resembles spirea. The light green foliage is pinnate and the flowers are white. It is a most attractive and interesting plant. 2 to 3 feet, 60c each.

St. John's Wort (Hypericum)



AUREUM—A showy shrub, three feet high, of stiff, dense habit; top often globular, like a miniature tree. Flowers are a bright yellow during July and August. Adaptable to rocky places, partially shaded where moisture is retained. 40 cents each; 3 for \$1.00.

Rhodotyphus

KERRIOIDES—Sometimes called the White Kerria. A very ornamental, deciduous, much-branched shrub, usually from three to seven feet, handsome and distinct, and is hardy as far north as Massachusetts. Has bright green foliage. Made very conspicuous by its white flowers in May of June and black fruits in the fall. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

Silver Bell (Halesia)

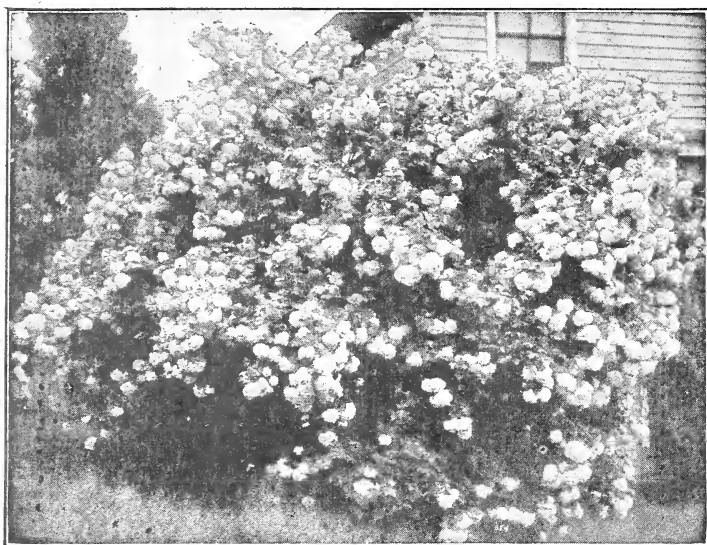
SNOW DROP TREE (Tetraptera)—The common snowdrop tree is a fine, small tree, which is covered with a bewildering cloudy mass of small, snowy white flowers, resembling that of the dewdrop, borne about the middle of May before the leaves appear. It is adapted to shrubberies and lawns in almost any position, but prefers a somewhat sheltered place and well-drained rich soil. 2 feet 75c each; 2 for \$1.25.

Silver Thorn (Eleagnus)

LONGIPES—A highly ornamental shrub with handsome foliage and reddish brown branchlets. The flowers are one-half inch long appearing on the lower part of the branches or on short branchlets; yellowish white, fragrant. The scarlet fruit ripens in June or July, of agreeable, slightly acid flavor. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.



SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER



OLD FASHIONED SNOWBALLS.

Snowball (Viburnum)

ARROW WOOD (*Dentatum*)—A gorgeous, upright, native shrub, thriving best in moist soil. It is especially hardy, doing well from New Brunswick to Minnesota. It blooms in May or June, followed by black fruits. **2 to 3 feet, 50c each.**

COMMON (*Var. Sterilis*)—This is the well known, common snowball of the old-fashioned gardens. Besides the snow-white flowers in May, the foliage is decorative and assumes a bright color in fall. **2 to 3 feet, 50c each.**

HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY (*Opulus*)—Handsome native shrub attaining twelve feet, with rather smooth, light gray branches and stems. The pure white flowers appear in May and June, followed by decorative fruits, which begin to color by the end of July and remain on the branches and keep its bright scarlet color until the following spring. The berries are not eaten by birds. **18 to 24 in., 40c; 2 to 3 feet, 60c each.**

JAPANESE (*Tomentosum*, *var. Plicatum*)—One of the choicest shrubs with much to recommend it and no objectionable features. Foliage is abundant during the summer and fall, and its balls of pure white are borne in great profusion. Fine for specimen planting. **18 to 24 in., 60c; 2 to 3 ft., \$1 00 each.**

LANTANA—This is a hardy shrub, especially for dry situations and limestone soil. The large, white flower clusters open in May and June, and are followed by red fruits. The foliage is particularly soft and heavy. **2 to 3 feet, 50c each.**



Sumac (Rhus)

CUT LEAF (*Glabra*, *var. Lacinata*)
—This variety with its deeply and finely cut leaves is very handsome, not quite so hardy as some of the other forms and not so tall growing. **2 to 3 feet, 60c each.**

STAGHORN (*Typhina*)—This variety grows in the driest soils and is a very desirable plant on account of its brilliant fall coloring which in dry locations, begins to show in August. The crimson fruits remain on all winter. **2 to 3 feet, 60c each.**

Sweet Pepper Bush

(CLETHRA)

ALNIFOLIA—A native shrub, to four feet, bearing profusely spikes of yellowish-white scented flowers in August. **18 to 24 in, 40c each.**

Spindle Tree

(EUONYMUS)

BURNING BUSH (*Corky Bark*, (*Alatus*)—An attractive, ornamental shrub to eight feet. The flowers appear in May and June. In autumn the foliage changes to a fine rose color. **2 to 3 feet, 75c each.**

EUROPEA—A large shrub to fifteen feet. Covered in the spring with bright yellow leaves, color a beautiful crimson scarlet in fall; stems almost a dark green. **4 to 5 feet, 75c each.**

STRAWBERRY BUSH (*Americana*)
—An ornamental, upright shrub to eight feet. The flowers appear in June, are yellowish or reddish green, followed by pink fruits are very attractive. **4 to 5 feet, 75c each.**

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Tamarax (Tamarix)

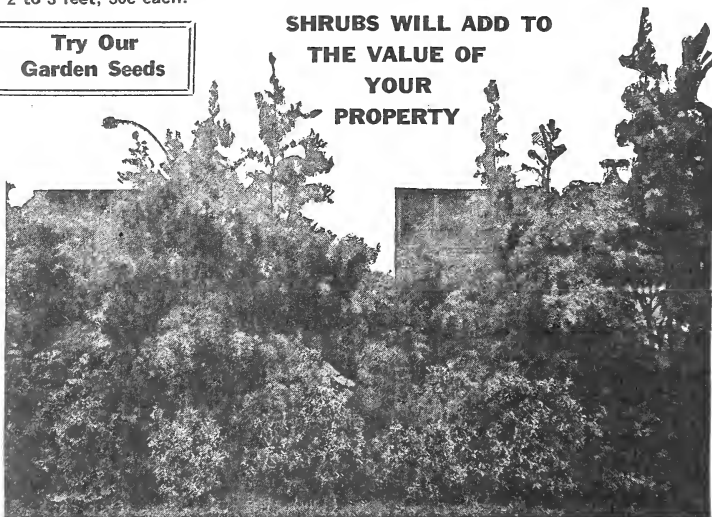
These plants are very beautiful all the year, in winter for their coloring of the bark and in summer for the light green, feathery foliage and large loose panicles of purplish flowers.

AFRICANA—Is an upright grower. Blooms in May. **2 to 3 feet, 35c each.**

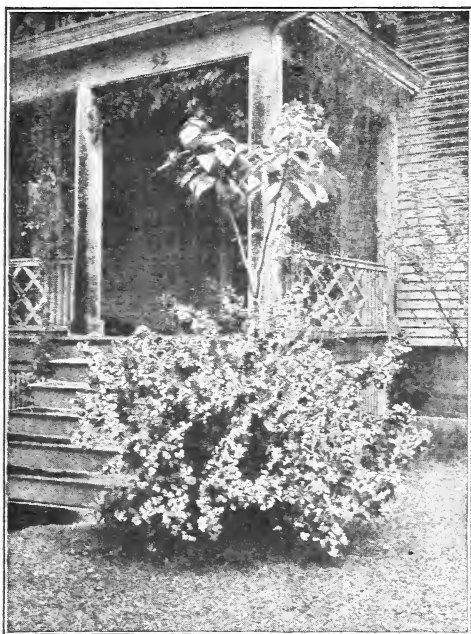
HISPADA—A graceful shrub, upright branches, flowers pink, appearing in August **2 to 3 feet, 50c each.**

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TAMARIX MAKES A BEAUTIFUL BACKGROUND.



WEIGELA ROSEA

Snowberry

(SYMPHORICARPUS)

WHITE SNOWBERRY—A perfectly hardy shrub from two to three feet high, excellent for massing in the lower parts of a bed or border. The rose-colored flowers appear in loose, often leafy racemes in July and August. The white waxy-like berries remain on until late in the autumn. 18 to 24 in., 30c; 2 to 3 ft., 50c each.

RED SNOWBERRY (Coral Berry), (Vulgaris)—A rather compact bush valuable because of its abundant and persistent fruit and foliage. 2 to 3 feet, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

Witch Hazel

(HAMAMELIS)

VIRGINIANA—Hardy ornamental shrub or small tree with deciduous alternate leaves. Petals of flowers are bright yellow, appearing from September to November. Thrives best in moist locations. Valuable on account of blooming at a time when hardly any other shrub outdoors is in flower. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

White Fringe

(CHIONANTHUS)

VIRGINICA—Another very desirable large growing shrub, bearing racemes of fringe-like white flowers late in May. Its purple fruit is highly ornamental, as also the lustrous foliage. 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each.

Virginian Willow

(ITEA)

VIRGINICA—In nature it inhabits low, wet places, but in cultivation will adapt itself to almost any soil. It is not perfectly hardy north, but grows rapidly and endures both sun and shade. Used in the ornamental border, flowers are fragrant and white. 18 to 24 inches, 40c each.

Weigelas (Diervilla)

An ornamental and popular class of graceful shrubs. The beautiful trumpet-shaped flowers appear in May and June in such profusion as to almost completely hide the foliage. Is very desirable for the border and for grouping. They vary in color from pure white to dark red. The following are all choice varieties.

ROSEA—A choice vigorous sort, which yields an immense crop of deep pink trumpet-like flowers in June, and bears a scattering of blossoms through the rest of the season. 18 to 24 in., 30c each; 2 to 3 ft., 50c each.

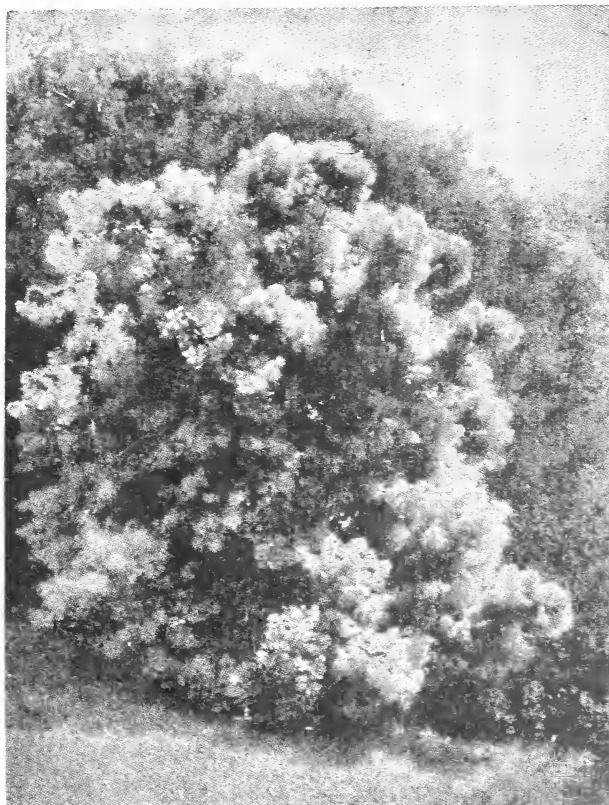
HYBRID CANDIDA—Very desirable plant for the shrubbery border, with pure white flowers. 2 to 3 feet, 50c each.

NANA VARIEGATA—Leaves of this sort are variegated with white; flowers are nearly white. Dwarf. 18 to 24 inch, 35c each; 2 to 3 ft., 50c each.

EVA RATHKE—The flowers are a deep carmine-red, erect growing. A most profuse bloomer in spring and again in autumn. 2 to 3 feet, 75c each; 18 to 24 inch, 50c each.

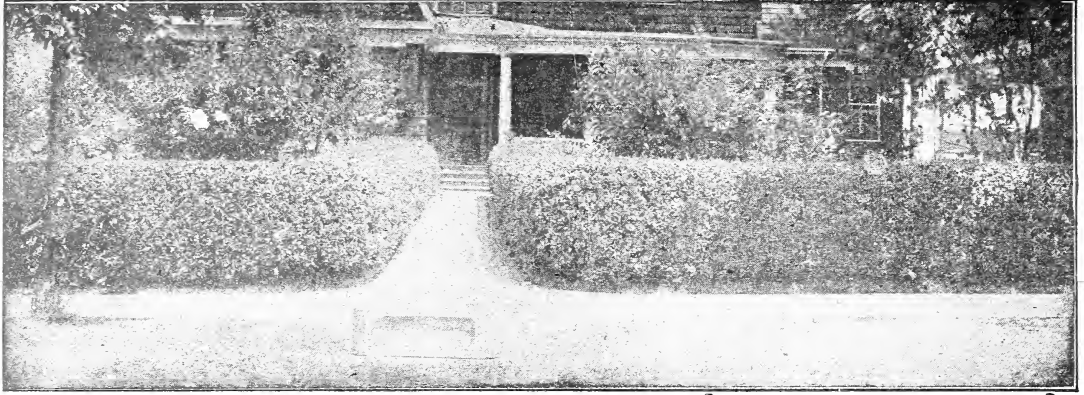
Smoke Tree (Rhus Cotinus)

PURPLE FRINGE—A bush 10 feet high with simple obovate leaves and brown bark; flowers purple in loose panicles and on long pedicels, which become profusely plumose, giving the plant a smoky appearance, from which it derives its common name. Early summer. There is nothing quite like it and should be planted on every lawn. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 65c each; 3 for \$1.80.



RHUS COTINUS OR SMOKE TREE

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CALIFORNIA PRIVET HEDGE.

California Privet

Do you want to enclose your home grounds with a fence that will add beauty and attractiveness to the surroundings, and will never rot down nor rust out; but will become more beautiful and substantial each year?

The California Privet Hedge Is What You Need

Many plants or shrubs may be used with happy results and pleasing effects in making a hedge fence but the great demand for California Privet proves it to be the most popular and satisfactory of all hedges.

It is the Best and Cheapest Fence

One hundred plants set eight inches apart, the proper distance for planting, will make a fence 66 feet long. Using our 18 to 24-inch size would cost only \$6.50. This is much less than any other fence would cost.

In comparison with fences of Wood or Iron, it is a comparison of the Living with the Dead.

The Iron and Wood fences are subject to decay, and each year become more unattractive and less substantial; but the living hedge fence is enduring, and becomes more beautiful and substantial with the passing years.

It needs not to be painted by the hand of man, in colors that fade away, for it paints itself each year an unfading color of beautiful, glossy green that is both charming and restful to the eye.

It is the Most Beautiful and Ornamental

There is no fence that adds so much charm and dignity to the surroundings of the home as a well kept hedge of California Privet.

It is a frame of living green that imparts to the picture an appearance of tranquil peace and happiness prevailing the entire scene.

Unlike the wood fence, which speaks in dull, flat tones; or the iron fence, which speaks in accents of cold irony; it calls to the admiring observer in melodious notes of soothing harmony.

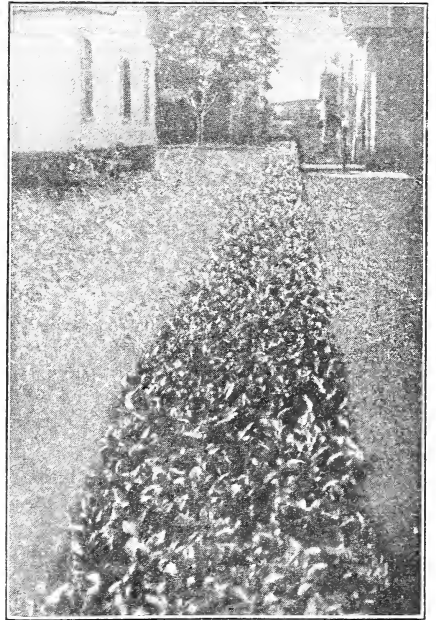
Go into the residence part of any of our great cities, and you will find this is the fence that almost invariably surrounds the palatial and aristocratic homes.

Surround your home with this frame of Nature's own making, and you will never regret it.

Plant in either Spring or Fall. If planted in single row, space the plants 8 inches apart. If planted in double rows, space the plants 8 inches apart zigzag from one row to the other.



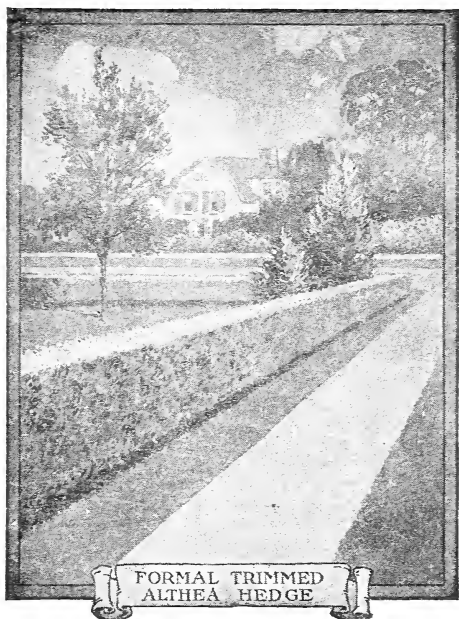
CALIFORNIA PRIVET HEDGE.

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Plants, 12-18 inches.....	\$5.00 per 100
Plants, 18-24 inches.....	6.50 per 100
Plants, 2-3 feet.....	8.50 per 100



FORMAL TRIMMED
ALTHEA HEDGE

MORE GOOD HEDGE PLANTS

Althea

OR ROSE OF SHARON

These free-flowering shrubs make wonderful hedges and once known will be planted more often. They can be kept trimmed quite low, or can be allowed to grow tall as a screen. A hedge of them in bloom, with all colors of flowers is a wonderful sight. **Price, 18 to 24 inch plants, 25 for \$3.00; \$10.00 per 100.**

Barberry Japanese

(Berberis Thunbergii). We consider the Japanese Barberry the best hedge plant in existence. It is beautiful throughout the year; its abundant crop of bright red berries makes it even more attractive in the winter than the summer. Its compact growth and thorny branches make a defense hedge that will turn cattle after five years' growth. As an untrimmed hedge it requires no attention except an occasional cutting of a few straggling branches. The natural growth is so dense and even that it forms a perfect hedge without shearing, but if a formal hedge is desired, it can be made so by shearing; hardy, of easy culture, and will grow in any soil or situation. For a hedge, plant in single row, 15 inches apart.

During the growing season, the foliage of the plants is attractive, because the new growth, light green in color, is in sharp contrast to the foliage of the old wood, which is a glossy, dark, rich green. In the fall, the foliage turns to bright orange and scarlet, and persists until November or December, according to the locality.

The Japanese Barberry is hardy almost anywhere in this country; and it will thrive in almost any situation, even in partial shade. Poor soil is no barrier to its successful cultivation. **Price, 12 to 18 inch plants, 15c each; 50 for \$7.00; 100 for \$12.50.**

Spirea Van Houttei

One of the most beautiful of all hedge plants. One mass of white when in bloom, and still beautiful in form and foliage, until frost removes the leaves. **18 to 24 inch plants, \$16.00 per 100; 24 to 36 inch plants, \$25.00 per 100.**

HARDY PRIVETS FOR SHRUB PURPOSES

Common

(Vulgar.) Ornamental shrub with shiny, dark green leaves. Whitish flowers in June and July, and followed later by black berries which usually remain on the branches through the winter. **2 to 3 feet, 30c each; 5 for \$1.00.**

Regals

(Var. Regelianum.) A low, dense shrub with horizontal, spreading branches and oblong leaves. **12 to 18 inches, 25c; 18 to 24 inches, 50c each.**

FOR HEDGE PURPOSES

Ibota Privet

Excellent for hedges because of its upright habit, beautiful narrow green leaves, clusters of fragrant white flowers, and extreme hardness. **18 to 24 inches, \$15.00 per 100; 2 to 3 feet, \$17.00.**

Amoor River

Hardest of all hedge plants. Beautiful upright growth and makes a very compact beautiful hedge. Sheds its foliage a little earlier than California Privet. **18 to 24 inches, \$12.00 per 100; 2 to 3 feet, \$16.00 per 100.**

Ibodium

THE NEW PRIVET.

For severe climates Ibodium privet is the coming hedge plant. For Northern New York, Michigan, Wisconsin, Northern Illinois and Iowa, Nebraska and Southern South Dakota and Minnesota this will be the hedge plant of the future. It is as hardy as the hardest privet and has all the characteristics of the famous California privet. It holds its leaves till late in the winter, presents at all times a rich green appearance and is a quick grower.

This is a new introduction that we have tried out for several years and found to be all and more than is claimed for it.

We have only a limited supply, which we hope however will supply the demand this year. **Price, 12 to 18 inch plants, \$15.00 per 100. Extra heavy 2 to 3 feet, \$25.00 per 100.**

EVERGREEN VINES

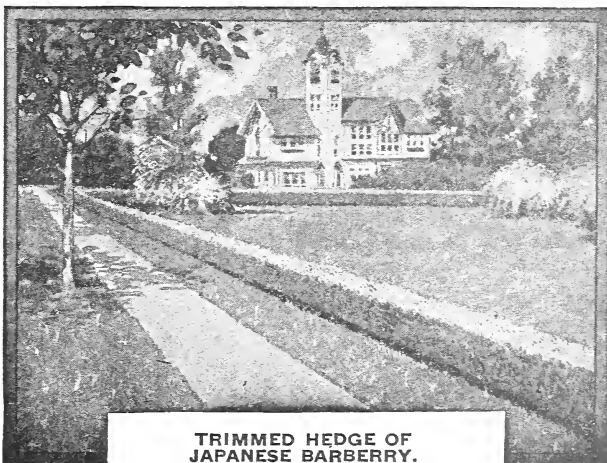
Spindle Tree (Euonymus)

RADICANS—A glossy dark-leaved vine, or it will form a spreading shrub, where it cannot climb. Valuable for covering walls, to which it clings, also for porch boxes. **Large, 3 year old plants, 50c each.**

VAR. ARGENTEO MARGINATA (Variegated Euonymus)—Same as the above. The leaves are distinctly variegated with white, yellow, and pink shades. Very attractive. **Extra large plants, \$1.00; smaller plants, 50c each.**

English Ivy

HELIX—A handsome, high-climbing vine with three to five-lobed evergreen leaves. The fruit is black on yellow. The ivy is especially valuable for covering stone walls. Will do well in the shade. **50c each.**



TRIMMED HEDGE OF
JAPANESE BARBERRY.

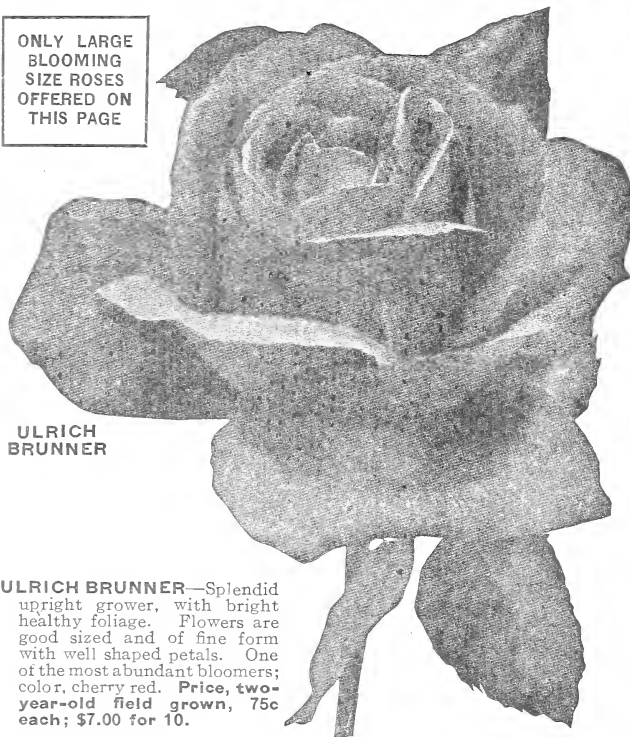
ROSES

QUEEN of FLOWERS

Roses are the most popular flowering plants grown, as either plants or flowers. They may be properly and effectively used for a great many purposes. Everyone should plant roses. There is no home, worthy of the name, where space could not be found for from ten to fifty rose bushes and there is no improvement that can be made at so small expense that will so quickly enhance the beauty, desirability and value of the property as a good rose planting.

Never was there such a wealth of roses for the amateur to choose from as now. They are being bred for the beauty of the plant form, as well as for the beauty of the flower. They are also bred for health, hardiness, freedom and continuity of bloom. As a result there are some wonderfully beautiful productions, both as to form and color, the latter ranging from pure white through all the shades of pink, red and yellow.

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SIZE ROSES
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ULRICH
BRUNNER

ULRICH BRUNNER—Splendid upright grower, with bright healthy foliage. Flowers are good sized and of fine form with well shaped petals. One of the most abundant bloomers; color, cherry red. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

PAUL NEYRON—One of the finest hardy roses ever grown. It blooms unceasingly from June till frost, on thornless stems, with immense, cup-shaped flowers, the largest of any rose grown; color a bright shining pink, clear and beautiful. Added to other qualities it is one of the hardest; will do well in even Alaska. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ—For intense and dazzling color there is no other rose to compare with this splendid kind. The flowers are large and handsome, moderately double, of splendid substance, and produces an amazing profusion of flowers during the whole growing season. The color is fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvet sheen. A combination found in no other rose. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

MRS. JOHN LAING—A favorite sort, with satiny flowers of soft, clear pink, remarkably free and continuous bloomer. This variety has always been very popular, and is generally accepted as the best of the light pinks. It is exceedingly fragrant. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

MAGNA CHARTA—A general favorite, prized on account of its strong, upright growth and bright, healthy foliage, as well as for its magnificent bloom. The color is beautiful bright pink, suffused with carmine. A profuse bloomer and very hardy. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

J. B. CLARK—This splendid rose is unique in color among roses, being deep scarlet shaded blackish crimson with rich bloom like a plum. It is robust in growth, with clean, heavy foliage. Flowers are large and superbly constructed, perfectly hardy. Price, two-year-old field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.



F. K. DRUSCHKI

Hybrid Perpetual Roses

Hardy in Cold Climates

GENERAL JACK—Bright, shining crimson, rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers, and is highly esteemed as one of the most desirable roses for open ground work, also for forcing. Price, two-year-old, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

ANNA DE DIESBACH (Glory of Paris)—Most lovely brilliant carmine; long pointed buds, and large, finely formed compact flowers; very full and double and delightfully sweet. A vigorous grower and a fine bloomer. Price, two-year-old, field grown, 75c each; \$7.00 for 10.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—The regal "White American Beauty." The bloom of this rose is perfect in form, on fine long stems, of the purest possible white. There is nothing in the line of perfectly hardy roses that can compare with this one in form, color and general appearance. In rose gardens they commence blooming in June; are conspicuous throughout the summer with their profusely furnished, large flowers of waxy paper white, and yield their last blossoms in Autumn. Price, two-year-old field grown 75c each, \$7.00 for 10.

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MRS. JOHN LAING

Everblooming Tea Roses

Two Year Old Plants, 65c each \$5.50 for 10

TWO-YEAR-OLD PLANTS, 65 CENTS EACH; \$5.50 FOR 10.

COLUMBIA—A beautiful, true pink, deepening as it matures to a warm, glowing tone, which is enduring. Its usual double petalage and substance makes it a good summer rose, while the great size, color, and long (almost thornless) stems mark it as a superior cutting variety.

ETOILE DE FRANCE—Velvety garnet-red cup, with center of vivid cerise. Flowers very large and full, with marked imbrications, as beautiful in the bud as in the full-blown flowers, and borne on strong upright shoots in the greatest profusion. Its fragrant, good dark foliage and its strong and vigorous growth especially recommend it as a garden rose.

LOS ANGELES—One of the most notable varieties ever produced. The coloring is of unusual beauty, being a luminous flame pink shaded with translucent gold at the base of the petals. A very vigorous grower and exquisite for cutting.

OPHELIA—A wonderful outdoor variety, with salmon-flesh color flowers which are perfectly formed and last a long time when cut. The color varies with the seasons and at times a soft yellow appears at the base of the petals.

PINK RADIANCE—A brilliant rosy carmine with lovely opal tints in the open flower. A wonderful bedder, as it continues to bloom during July and August when many other varieties fail to bloom.

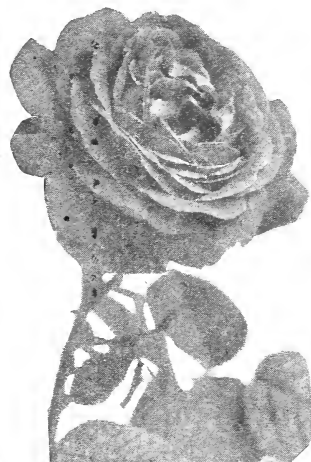
RED RADIANCE—The same characteristics as the above, but the color is clear cerise red and does not fade.

KILLARNEY PINK—Intensely fragrant flowers, of exquisite pink coloring. You can rely on this rose for almost continuous bloom. Ideal for cutting.

KILLARNEY WHITE—A sport of the above and one of the very best white roses grown.



LOS ANGELES



RED RADIANCE

perfect foliage and strong climbing habit of growth; the abundant bloom being in prime before the June show of the bush type.

DOROTHY PERKINS PINK—Flowers rich rose-pink, small double, very sweet, produced in large clusters. Growth very vigorous, climbing, late flowering; bright clusters, clean foliage, one of the best.

BALTIMORE BELLE—Plain white, suffused yellow, of medium size which is produced in clusters. Growth very vigorous, climbing, very hardy. One of the very best.

AMERICAN PILLAR—One of the most favorable and attractive of the hardy climbers, flowering profusely in large compact clusters. The single flowers range from 2 to 5 inches in width. Brilliant carmine-rose with a slight cream variation and yellow stamens in center.

DR. VAN FLEET—Flowers flesh-pink on the outer surface deepening to rosy-flesh in the center, large, full and double, of delicate perfume. Growth vigorous, climbing and free.

SILVER MOON—White, beautiful foliage, one of the very finest.

PAULS SCARLET—For brilliancy of color this variety outclasses every other climbing variety in the red shades. A gleaming vivid scarlet color which does not fade, but remains bright till the flowers fall. Medium, semi-double flowers perfect in bud form, and in clusters of from 3 to 15. Awarded gold medals by the National Rose Society of England. Price of this variety, \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Claudius Pernet

The Only Perfectly Hardy Everblooming Yellow Tea Rose

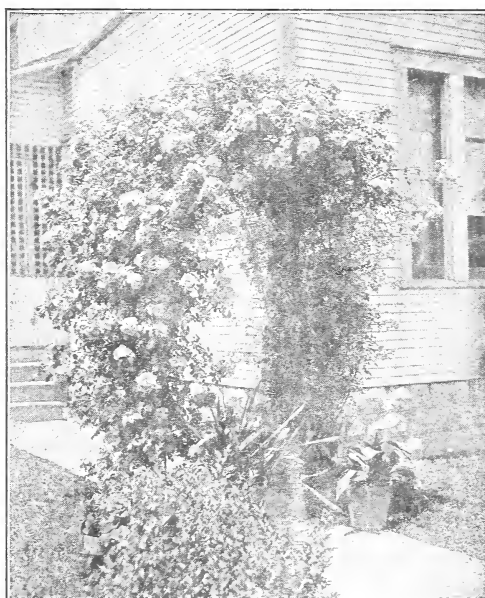
The only perfectly hardy, everblooming yellow Tea rose. A new, perfectly hardy yellow rose of great merit. It is of European origin, and perfectly adapted to our climate, which has proven unfavorable for some varieties of European origin. This new rose has been awarded three gold medals in Europe and has received the most favorable comment in this country.

It has very large flowers of sunflower-yellow with deeper shading in the center. The buds are long and pointed and produced in great abundance. The original plants of this variety bloomed continuously for two years under glass. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

Climbing Roses

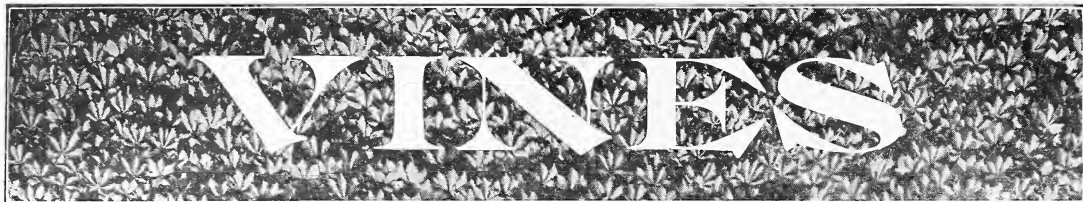
TWO-YEAR-OLD FIELD-GROWN, 50 CENTS EACH; \$4.50 FOR 10.

CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY—This new climbing form of the famous pink rose, so long the American favorite for cutting, is as lovely and fragrant and deeply pink as the bush form. The hardy climbing blood with which it is crossed makes it quite healthy,



DOROTHY PERKINS

**ONLY LARGE BLOOMING SIZE
ROSES OFFERED ON THIS PAGE**



BOSTON IVY FOR WALLS

The needs for vines for home improvement is well known and there is absolutely nothing that adds more to the beauty of the home than appropriate vines. A porch without a vine is desolate and incomplete. Vines are exceptionally valuable for turning unsightly fences and buildings into things of beauty.

Foliage vines are especially adapted for stone or brick work as they look more "at home" than the flowering vines. They are also valuable for working in with flowering vines of poor foliage, because they will form a good background. There is no class of plants that can be used in so many ways.

Ivy (Ampelopsis)

VIRGINIA CREEPER (Quinquefolia)—This is the commonest of the climbers, and at the same time the most useful and the most vigorous growing, doing well in almost any kind of soil. The leaves turn to a bright scarlet and purple in the fall. The dark blue berries remain quite late. **2 year old, 50c each.**

BOSTON IVY (Veitchii)—This vine undoubtedly stands higher in the estimation of the people than any other. After once it is established it grows rapidly and will stay indefinitely, needing only an occasional trimming to keep it within bounds. It is not attacked by disease or insects and the foliage is not injured by the smoke and dirt of cities. The glossy green leaves turn to a brilliant orange-scarlet in the fall. **2 year old, 50c each; 3 for \$1.45.**

Maderia Vine

(Baselloides). A beautiful rapid-growing vine with dense foliage. The small white flowers are borne in great profusion and are very fragrant. It is excellent for summer screens and shade for porches. Succeeds best in a sunny position. **5 for 25c; 10 for 40c.**

False Bitter Sweet

(Scandens), (Celastrus). Hardy ornamental vine. Very effective by their bright-colored fruit remaining usually throughout the winter. They are valuable for covering trellis-work, trees or rocks and walls. They grow in almost any soil and situation. Fruit is about one-half inch in diameter, orange-yellow, with crimson seed. **35c each; 3 for \$1.00.**

Dutchman's Pipe

(Aristolocha Siphon). A very vigorous growing vine with large deep green leaves and green twigs, producing in abundance a purplish blossom much resembling a pipe. Grows very dense. **Price, 2 year old plants, 75c each; 2 for \$1.35.**

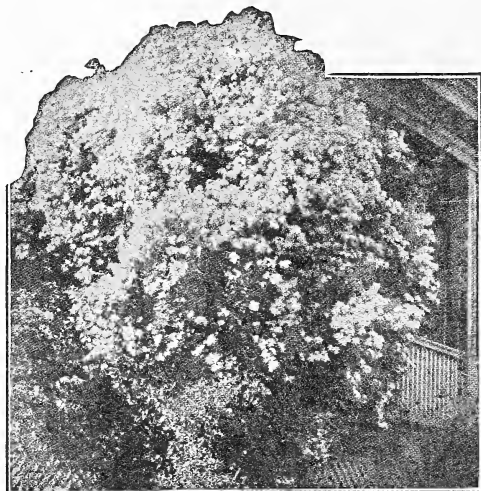
Try Our Flower Seeds



WISTERIA

CHINESE WISTARIA (Chinensis)—This is one of the best and commonest of hardy climbers. Has pale green pinnate leaves and bears profusely dense, drooping clusters of purplish, pea-shaped flowers. Blooms in May and usually gives a smaller crop of blooms in August or September. They will live in rather dry and sandy soil, but prefer a deep, rich earth. **3 year old, large, 75c each.**

Vines Improve the Home



CLEMATIS PANICULATA

Clematis

PANICULATA—This Clematis is by far the most popular of all the species in the American gardens. It is extremely showy when covered with the small white fragrant flowers, which appear late in the season. Beautiful, shiny, green foliage. **Price, 2 year old No. 1 plants, 50c each; three for \$1.30.**

HENRYII—This is a robust plant, a free bloomer, flowers creamy white, becoming fully expanded when grown in the sun. It blooms through August and September. **2 year-old, \$1.00.**

JACKMANII—One of the best known of all the clematises. The velvety-purple flowers, when expanded, are four to six inches across, very velvety and distinctively veined. **2 year, \$1.00 each.**

MAD. ED. ANDRE—This is the nearest approach to a bright red Clematis. It is a very free bloomer and very satisfactory. **2 year old No. 1, \$1.00 each.**

Honeysuckle (Lonicera)

JAPONICA, var Halliana (Hall's Japan Evergreen Honeysuckle)—Honeysuckles are well adapted for the covering of walls, arbors, etc., are very ornamental, as the leaves remain on during the winter. The flowers are white, turning to yellow and are very fragrant. **30c each.**

Kudzu Vine

PUERARIA—A hardy vine with large, tuberous starchy roots, making a most remarkable, vigorous growth of slender, hairy stems. Leaves are variously lobed, vines will grow to 60 feet in a season, producing a profusion of large leaves. In the North the vine dies down to the ground during the winter. **30c each.**

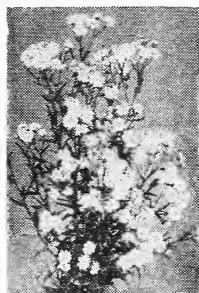
Wisteria

Hardy Perennials

Hardy Perennials, or as they are often called, "Old Fashioned Flowers" should be planted in every garden.

They add grace to the hardy border and furnish cut flowers all through the Summer. The varieties listed are all perfectly hardy, and do not have to be replaced each year as is the case with annuals.

Knowing that our customers are not familiar with the many different varieties, we have illustrated as many of them as possible. The illustrations are necessarily small and therefore do not show the varieties to the best advantage. But they will give anyone interested in an assortment of "Old Fashioned Flowers" an idea as to what the different varieties will do and we hope you will be able to make a selection.



ACHILLEA

Anemone (Windflower)

WHIRLWIND—One of the most gorgeous of the hardy perennials, as well as one of the most desirable and useful. Bears large, snowy white flowers supported by large dark green leafy branches. Fall. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

Achillea

MILLEFOLIUM CERISE ROSEUM—Beautiful cut-leaved foliage. Flowers deep rose colored and good for cutting. Eighteen inches. April to October. 15c each \$1.50 per dozen.

PTARMICA (The Pearl)—White flowers larger than above variety. It blooms all Summer. Slightly more dwarf. Fifteen inches. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Aster

ST. EGWIN—Dense and bushy and blooms from the ground up to the top of the plant. Delicate pink color. 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen.

STOKES ASTERS (Stokesia)—12 to 18 inches high. Flowers large blue and quite showy. Blooms from August till late frost. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Butterfly Weed

ASCLEPIA TUBEROSA—Beautiful bright orange flowers 1 to 2 feet high. Very hardy blooms. July and August. 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen.

Coreopsis

LANCEOLATA—Valuable border plant, because of their profusion of showy yellow flowers. Much prized for cutting. Flowers golden yellow, hardy and of the easiest culture. One to two feet. June to September. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Columbine

AQUILEGIA CAERULEA—The Dainty Rocky Mountain Columbine. Blue and white flowers in early spring. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

AQUILEGIA ENGLISH LONG SPUR—A fine strain, producing distinct strains of Purple, Blue, Red and Yellow Flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

CHRYSANTHA (Yellow-Flowered Columbine)—Is one of the finest of all the hardy perennials. Flowers are primrose yellow, long spurs. Three to four feet. April to September. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

China (Pink)

DIANTHUS PLUMARIS—Very hardy single and double pink with flowers of many beautiful colors. 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen.

DIANTHUS BARBATUS (Sweet William)—Among the brightest of our hardy perennials, with large heads of flowers in a great variety of color. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Canterbury Bells

Large open bell-shaped flowers in a variety of colors. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

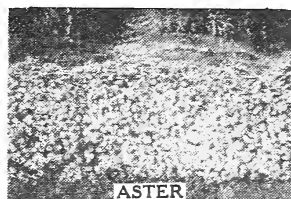
HAREBELL (Campania Carpatia)—A pretty, compact species; flowers 1 inch in diameter. Blue and White. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Chamomile

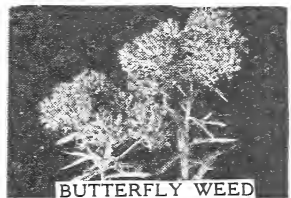
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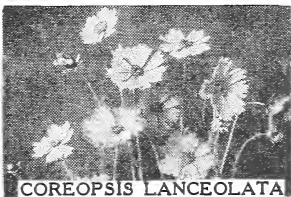
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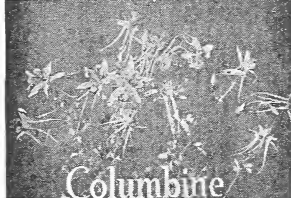
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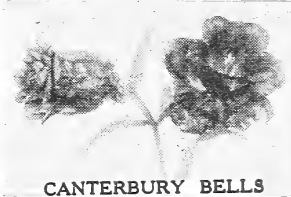
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Columbine



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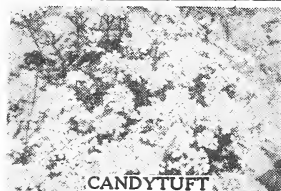
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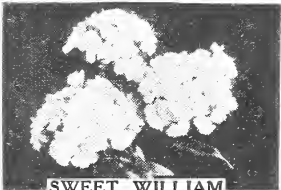
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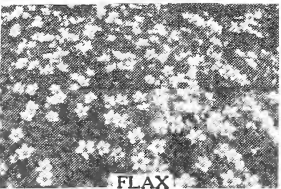
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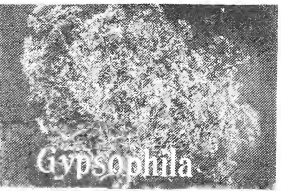
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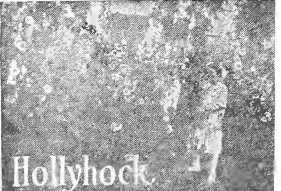
Forget-me-not



FLAX



Gypsophila



Hollyhock

Hardy Carnation (Garden Pinks)

KING BELL—A very hardy spicy perennial with beautiful flowers. Wonderful cut flowers. 15c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

MONT BLANC—Pure white flowers, very large and spicy scented. Has long blooming season. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Candytuft

IBERIS SEMPERVIRENS—A choice variety with snowy white flowers for cutting. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Dictamnus

GAS PLANT—A variety with very fragrant foliage and spikes of very curious red flowers. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Daisy (Shasta)

ALASKA—A splendid form of the Shasta Daisy. The whole plant is gigantic, but compact and graceful; flowers white, four and five inches across. Very free flowering; small yellow discs. Good for cut flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Day Lily

FUNKIA FORTUNEII AUREA VAR—The leaves of the variety are beautiful variegated with white. Very hardy. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

FUNKIA SUBCORDATA—Very large, pure white lily-shaped flowers. August and September. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Sweet William

DIANTHUS BARBATUS—The old-fashioned favorite. A fine plant, producing great masses of bloom of extremely rich and varied colors. Flowers lasting and fine for cutting. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Fox Glove

DIGITALIS GLOXINAEFLORA—A stately picturesque plant with spikes of bloom 3 to 4 inches in height. Color ranges from rose to deep purple. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

False Dragon Head

PHYOSTEGIA ALBA—Handsome mid-summer flowering plant, 3 to 4 feet high, bearing broad dense spikes of white tubular flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Perennial Flax

LINUM PEREN—A very desirable plant for the border; grows about 2 feet high, and filled with flowers all summer. We can furnish you either White or Blue. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Golden Glow

HELIANTHUS—The perennial sunflowers are among the most effective hardy plants for large borders for planting among shrubbery or as clumps on the lawn. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Gaillardia (Blanket Flower)

GRANDIFLORA—Probably one of the most universal flowers planted among the hardy perennials. Conspicuous for their profusion of bloom. Flowers intense, blood-crimson, margined with golden yellow. Eighteen to twenty-four inches. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Gysophylla (Baby's Breath)

Very branching or spreading slender shrubs, of very easy culture, and very desirable where a mass of delicate misty white bloom will fill a bare place. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Hardy Grasses

ERIANTHUS RAVENNA (Plume or Pampas Grass)—Beautiful plumes 8 to 10 feet tall in the Fall. Fine for winter ornament. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

EULALIA ZEBRINA (Zebra Grass)—The long blades of this variety are marked with broad yellow bands across the leaf. Fine for lawns. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

EULALIA VARIGATA—Very ornamental with long narrow leaves striped green and white. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

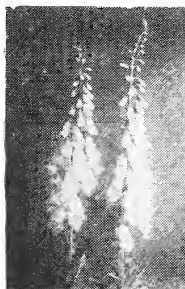
Hollyhocks (Hardy)

SINGLE—One of the most stately, picturesque and beautiful plants in the world. Very easily grown. Mixed colors 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

DOUBLE—Immense double and semi-double flowers; all shades and colors mixed. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Dictamnus



FOX GLOVE



False Dragon Head



HELIANTHUS



GAILLARDIA

Centaurea Montana

PERENNIAL CORN FLOWER—Grows 2 feet high bearing large violet-blue flowers from July to September. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Yellow Day Lily (Hemerocallis)

Popular hardy plants; belong to the Lily family. They succeed everywhere, and should always be included in the border of old-fashioned hardy plants. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

THUNBERGII—The latest to flower; rich buttercup-yellow, funnel-shaped flowers throughout July. 4 feet.

FULVA—Grows from 4 to 5 feet high, with trumpet-shaped flowers of a neutral orange color with darker shadings. June and July.

DUMORTIERI—Very dwarf; 18 inches; flowering in June; rich cadmium-yellow; buds and reverse of petals bronze-yellow.



YELLOW DAY LILY

Lily of the Valley

Very small and sweet and dainty, the creamy white scalloped bells pendant along slender stems. They make up (with their broad shiny leaves) into dainty bouquets of fragrance. They spread actively from the roots and soon reclaim shaded cold ground which otherwise would be cheerless and barren. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Helianthus

MISS MELLISH—An improved variety of Helianthus, profuse bloomer and supplies an enormous quantity of cut-flowers. Yellow. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Heliopsis

HARDY ZINNIA—A new variety with rich chrome-yellow flowers. Flowers are very nearly double and fine for indoor decoration.

Hardy Ferns

The most beautiful and natural effects can be produced by the planting of hardy ferns. They should be planted to be protected from the prevailing winds. They are perfectly hardy and can stand planting either in shady or sunny positions.

The hardy ferns are most satisfactory for planting on shady banks and around porches, where the sun does not reach. They are valuable in that they do well in any good well drained soil and require practically no care.

Ferns have become a feature in all decorations whether for apartments, conservatories, or for tropical bedding in summer. No home should be without them. We can furnish either of the following varieties.

OSTRICH FERN—The large leaf, tall growing variety.

ROYAL FERN—One of the large growing varieties.

CINNAMON FERN—Medium grower in height. Price: 20c each; \$2.00 for 12.

Hardy Hibiscus

Tall growing, especially adapted to backgrounds and shrubby borders. Of easiest culture, and bloom the entire season. Plants grow 4 to 5 feet tall. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

MALLOW MARVEL—A beautiful deep red color. Very effective.

WHITE CRIMSON EYE—This is probably the best known and the most planted of the Hibiscus

Japanese Iris

Of all Iris, the Japanese has, without question the most wonderful bloom. The flowers are borne on long graceful stems, and for foliage effect, or cut flowers this species is far superior to the common kinds. We are offering only two varieties which are noted for their free blooming habit.

PURPLE GOLD BANDED—A beautiful deep shade of purple with a gold band across the petals. An attraction to any garden. Price 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

BLUE—A bright blue flower, which holds its color and remains fresh a long time after it is cut. Price 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.



Japanese Bell Flower

Iris

SIBERIAN BLUE—Among the most desirable and easiest grown of our spring-flowering hardy plants, producing in May their showy flowers of exquisite coloring of rich and delicate tints. Purplish-blue flowers, useful for cutting 3 feet high. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

HONORABILIS—A variety of the German type, with beautiful yellow flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Japanese Bell Flower

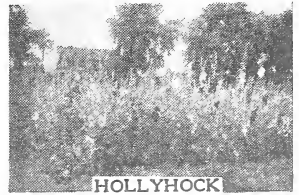
PLATYCODON—A valuable perennial forming a dense branching bush of upright habit. One to two feet with neat foliage. It blooms from July until frost. Large bell shaped, deep blue flowers 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Lupinus or Lupins

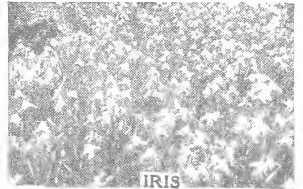
The LUPINS produce beautiful long spikes of pear-shaped flowers a foot long on stems 3 feet high. They are perfectly hardy and very showy. We can supply them in the following colors: White, Blue, Rose, Mixed. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Lythrum

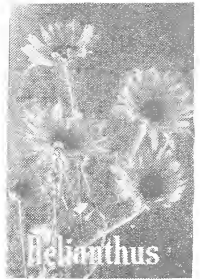
Very showy plants, with large compact spikes of deep rose flowers. Blooms from June to September. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



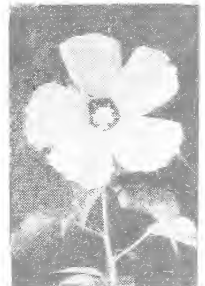
HOLLYHOCK



IRIS



Helianthus



HARDY HIBISCUS



LUPINUS



Lobelia

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CARDINAL FLOWER—Rich fiery red flower; strong plants often producing 10 to 18 spikes in August and September. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Larkspur (Delphinium)

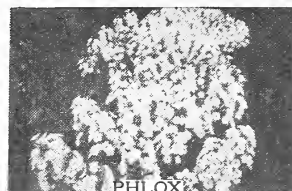
Another old-time favorite of the easiest culture. Hardy, and prefers sunny, well-drained position. Spikes are superb for cutting. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

BELLADONNA—A sky-blue variety. June to October.

FORMOSUM—The old favorite dark blue with white center; 3 to 4 feet high. Very vigorous, free-flowering and one of the best.

HYBRID MIXED—These plants were grown from seed collected from main sorts, and will show some surprising new colors.

CHINESE (Chinese Larkspur)—A very pretty variety with fine feathery foliage and intense blue flowers.



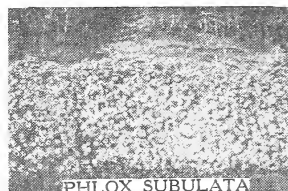
PHLOX

Mourning Bride

SCABIOSA JAPONICA—Handsome border plants and should be planted in every garden. Lavender-blue flowers from July to September that last a long time when cut and put in water. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Maltese Cross

LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA—All of the Lychnis are of the easiest culture, thriving in any soil, and this, in addition to their brightness, has brought them into high favor with lovers of hardy plants. A most desirable plant; heads of brilliant orange-scarlet in June and July; grows 2 to 3 feet high. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



PHLOX SUBULATA

Oswego Tea

MONARDA DIDYMA—A bushy plant growing about 2 feet high, covered with round heads of deep red flowers. Its petals are similar to the Cactus Dahlias; also known as Bergamot and Mint on account of the delicious fragrance of their leaves when crushed. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Oenothera (Evening Primrose)

FRUTICOSA YOUNGII—Prized for its stocky growth and continuous bloom of bright lemon-yellow flowers on bold heads. Two feet. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Pyrethrum (Persian Daisy)

The pretty, fern-like foliage in the Spring, followed by a profusion of handsome blooms in Summer, makes the plant very desirable. Unequaled as cut flowers. Hardy under any conditions. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

ROSEUM—A beautiful rose-pink daisy-like perennial about two feet.

ULIGNOSIUM—A perennial with white flowers, yellow center in clusters. 4 feet. September.

Pachysandra

A trailing plant 6 to 8 inches high, forming broad mats of bright glossy green foliage and small spikes of light colored flowers during May and June. A very good ground cover which will grow in all shady locations, and the only plant that will thrive under Pine trees. Exceptionally valuable for edging Evergreen plants as the foliage is practically evergreen. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.

Phlox

No class of hardy plants is more desirable than the Perennial Phloxes. They will thrive in any position and can be used to advantage in any kind of border planting, in large groups on the lawn. All the hardy phloxes are admirably adapted for cutting.

BRIDESMAID—White-crimson eye. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

MISS LINGARD—The best phlox in cultivation. Immense heads of pure white flowers in June, September and October. Price, \$1.50 per dozen.

WM. JENKINS—

RHINELANDER—Beautiful salmon-pink; immense size. Price: 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

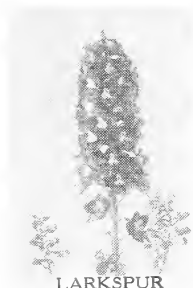
RYNSTROOM—Big trusses, rosy-pink flowers. Price, 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

SUBULATA—Moss or Mountain Pink, and an early spring-flowering type with evergreen foliage. Valuable for covering ground or graves. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Poppies

ORIENTAL (Assorted)—These are the regal representatives of this popular genus, growing 3 to 3½ feet high, and far surpassing in splendor of bloom all the annual and biennial kinds. Flowers in May and June. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

ICELAND (Assorted)—The plant is of neat habit, forming a tuft of bright green, fern-like foliage from which spring, throughout the entire season, a profusion of slender leafless stems 1 foot high, each graced with charming cup-shaped flowers. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



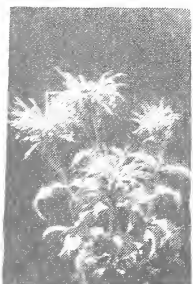
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OSWEGO TEA



Maltese Cross

Beautiful Peonies

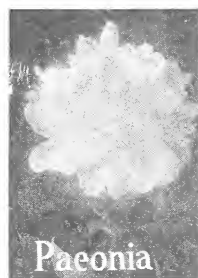
No other flower is so universally grown with such few disappointments as the Peony. Certainly no perennial will give you the wealth of bloom and keep so free from disease as they will. It is a very ancient flower, and according to legends of ancient times it was first grown by Leto the mother of Apollo. Its history dates back to the days of the old Greek civilization and on down through history to our times.

Late years have seen many improvements in the size, shape, color and free-flowering habit of this wonderful plant, and below we offer three choice double varieties in three colors. Plant in the late Fall or early Spring.

WHITE—A good sized double white flower and free bloomer. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

PINK—Beautiful shade of pink, double flower, beautiful foliage. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

RED—Very vivid coloring, massive flowers and very spicy. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.



Paeonia

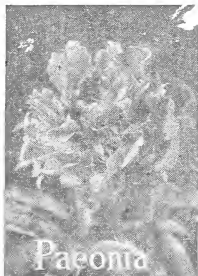
Rocky Mountain Sage

SALVIA AZUREA—A species from the Rocky Mountains, which produces during August and September pretty sky-blue flowers in the greatest profusion. They have been admired very much by the many visitors to our nurseries this Summer. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen



Rudbeckia

The perennial form of the Black-Eyed Susan. One of the most popular hardy plants. Deep orange-yellow flowers and long wiry stems. Fine cut flowers. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Paeonia

Giant Purple Cone Flower

ROCKY MOUNTAIN SAGE
brown cone-shaped center.

RUDBECKIA PURPUREA—Peculiar reddish-purple, with a very large flower. Blooms from July to October. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Hardy Sweet Pea

Hardy Sweet Peas

This beautiful perennial blooms continuously all summer long. The flowers are larger than the tender Sweet Peas and will continue to bloom even in hot dry weather. Ours are a mixture of white pink and red that will produce bouquets for you every year. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Rudbeckia

Sedum

STONECROP—A very pretty erect growing perennial attaining a height of 18 inches. It has broad light green foliage with immense heads of handsome showy rose colored flowers. Indispensable as a fall blooming plant. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Tritoma

Tritoma

RED HOT POKER—The early free and continuous blooming qualities of this flower make it one of the greatest bedding plants. It blooms in August and September. Large spikes of flowers 3 feet high. The flowers are a rich orange color and they succeed in any rich garden soil. Price, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Tunica

SAXIFRAGA—A pretty tufted plant with light pink flowers produced all Summer. Useful for rockeries or as a border plant. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



GIANT PURPLE
CONE FLOWER

Veronica

INCANA—A beautiful little plant about 1 foot in height. It is white and woolly with numerous blue flowers and makes a good appearance, both in and out of bloom. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

SPICATA—Long spikes of violet-blue flowers. Very hardy and produce an abundance of bloom over a long period. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



VERONICA SPICATA

Valeriana

COCCINEA—Called the Hardy Garden Heliotrope. Produces showy beds of old rose flowers in June and July. Very ornamental. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.



SEDUM

Tender Plants

This and the following page contains a selected list of the best varieties of Tender Plants for growing indoors or for growing outdoors in boxes or beds during the summer months. They are all pot grown and can be safely planted up to July 1st.

Chrysanthemums

In this collection are some of the grandest varieties that have ever been offered to the public. All are up-to-date, early flowering varieties. 20c each, except where noted; any 4 for 60c; your selection of any 12 for \$1.75.

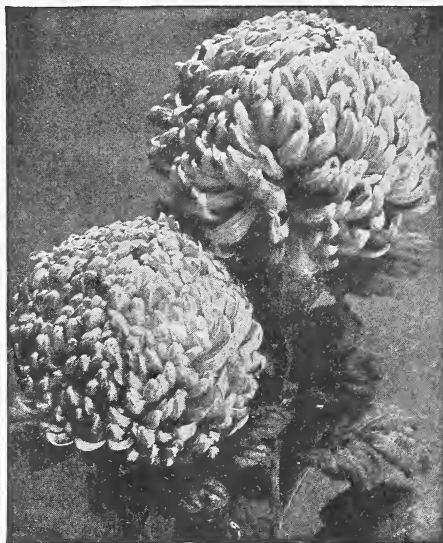
CHRYSOLOREA—A very fine yellow. Medium to tall in growth. Foliage heavy. Considered the finest early yellow variety ever introduced.

GOLDEN QUEEN—The best yellow for early October—maturing about the 10th. Beautiful golden color, fine incurved form and double from any bud.

HARVARD—A particularly attractive flower and fine for exhibition; color is very dark crimson; grand stem and foliage.

PACIFIC SUPREME—Color a most beautiful shade of clear pink. A wonderful flower; extra fine for exhibition. A mammoth bloom of purest pink; unexcelled.

TINTS OF GOLD (Early)—Color, a magnificent yellowish bronze. Stems stiff and variety that will soon prove popular. Considered one of the most valuable commercial varieties at the present time.



CHRYSANTHEMUM WHITE CHIEFTAIN

White Chieftain

We are sure that this will take the position among whites that the Bonaffon holds among yellows. Like its parent, it holds in fine condition for a long time; blooming period runs over three weeks.

Geraniums

SINGLE FLOWERING VARIETIES

MRS. E. G. HILL—An exquisite shade of soft, light salmon, each petal bordered with rose salmon; continual bloomer; excellent bedding variety; semi-dwarf grower; will resist the heat of the sun.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT—Pure snow-white, retaining its purity the entire season; perfectly formed round flowers, borne in enormous trusses, held well above the beautiful foliage.

W. A. CHELFANT—Dazzling scarlet, florets slightly circular and slightly cupped, forming a magnificent truss; one of the best for bedding.

DOUBLE FLOWERING VARIETIES

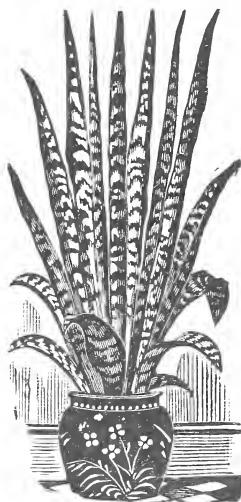
MISS FRANCES E. WILLARD—Is of vigorous growth; flower stalks very long and carried well above the foliage; color is a delicate blush, shaded with pearl-pink, a most charming piece of shading.

S. A. NUTT—This is the darkest and richest double Geranium grown. It is very bright, dark, deep, rich velvety maroon, an excellent bedder and a perfect pot plant

Beauty Poitevine

Semi-double. One of the finest of the Bruant race. Color brilliant salmon, apricot in center; trusses very large, florets, 2½ in. diameter.

Geranium Prices: 15c each; all six for 75 cents.



SNAKE PLANT

Snake Plant

(*Sansevieria Zeylanica*.) Beautiful house plant well adapted for decoration of sitting rooms, halls, etc., as it stands dust and neglect of watering with impunity. Leaves grow to a length of from 3 to 4 feet, beautifully striped cross-wise with broad white variegations on a dark green ground. Rare and beautiful plant, should be abundantly grown for positions out of sunlight, where other plants do not thrive.

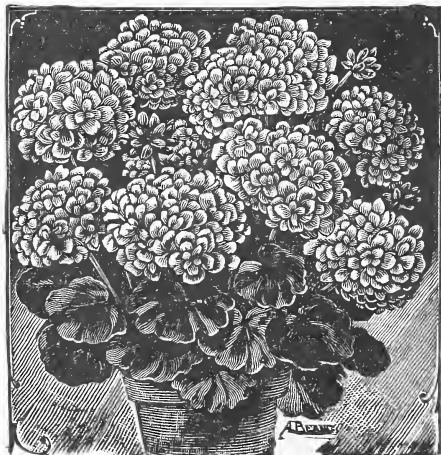
Plants, 20c each; 3 for 55 cents.

Flowering Begonias

GLOIRE DE CHATELLAINE (Ever-blooming Flowering Begonia)—This new Begonia is undoubtedly the freest blooming variety known. Is of easy culture, low bushy habit and literally covered the entire year with a wealth of bright pink flowers with yellow stamens. Everblooming.

THURSTONI—The under side of the leaves is a rich purplish-red, veinings very prominent, face or upper side is bronzy-green, shaded with crimson and olive, with a peculiar glossy-metallic luster over all. Flowers rosy-white, in large clusters well above the foliage. Plant has fine habit.

Price, 25 cents each; 3 for 65 cents.



GERANIUM

Lantanas

Or Shrubby Verbenas, the Finest Plants that Grow.

The brilliant colors, robust growth and profuse blooming habit of the Lantana render it one of the finest bedding plants that grow. The varieties here described give a wide range of color, and include the most distinct and profuse blooming varieties.

AURORA—Large flowered, dark and light shades pink, yellow center.

JACOB SCHULTZ—The best of the deep red varieties.

WEEPING LANTANA—Fine for baskets, vases, pots, window boxes. Produces a great abundance of delicate, drooping, leafy vines, covered nearly all the time with clusters of lovely lilac flowers with white eyes. Price, 15c each; 6 for 75c.



Variegated Vinca

Beautiful variegated trailing plant, admirably adapted for hanging baskets and vases. Leaves glossy green, broadly margined creamy-white; flowers blue. Small plants, 15c each; 12 for \$1.50; larger, 25c each, 3 for 60c; extra large, for vases, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00.

Moonflowers

POMEA GRANDIFLORA—The true Moonflower. A very rapid summer climber, blooming the first season. No insects attack the leaf. The flowers are immense, pure white, sweet-scented, five inches in diameter, borne very profusely, and, as they open at night, are very striking. Being a free bloomer, the effect on a moonlight night is very charming. Try it. 15c each; 3 for 40c.

Beautiful Fuchsias

BLACK PRINCE—This is without question the very finest single Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. It makes a shapely bush, is robust in growth, free from disease and insects, and is probably the freest in blooming. Blossoms of a beautiful waxy-carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture.

GLOIRE DES MARCHES—It is nearly perfection as to free growing and habit. Tube and sepals deep scarlet; corolla very large and double, and pure white.

SPECIOSA—Well known variety, producing large flowers 2 inches in length, tubes and sepals of which are bluish, the corolla crimson. Some plants of this variety grown in 8 or 9-inch pots will produce from 300 to 500 flowers from December to May.

Price, 15 Cents Each; 3 for 40 Cents.

Mammoth Verbenas

The Verbena is one of the prettiest and most popular of all flowering plants suitable for forming beds on the lawn. Commences to flower and spread from the first day plants are set until late in autumn, every day becoming better and more handsome. Colors range through all the different shades of scarlet, purple, blue, white, etc. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Heliotropes

These are universal favorites on account of their delightful fragrance. Flower equally well as bedding plants in summer or as pot plants in the house during the winter. 15c each; 3 for 40c.

MADAME BRUANT—Immense panicles of very large flowers, a rich purple with large white eyes. Very free flowering, large trusses.



FUCHSIA, BLACK PRINCE

BUISSON FLEURI—Plant semi-dwarf; extremely beautiful in growth; free grower, easily propagated; the plant is covered with bloom trusses extremely large; florets large and flat-faced; color rosy-violet with star-shaped eye.

Double Petunias

The Double Petunia is one of the finest bedding plants for massing, mixed borders, or for vases. The brilliancy and variety of its colors, combined with the duration of its blooming period, render it invaluable for garden decoration. Our collection is unsurpassed for brilliancy of color and size of bloom.

FAVORITE—Rosy-purple, beautifully frilled; edges white.

VESUVIUS—Rich deep purple, shaded crimson.

SNOWBALL—The finest Petunia grown; color a sea foam white; flower of the largest size and beautifully frilled. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.

Coleus

There is nothing in the line of bedding plants that can ever take the place of Coleus Used in solid clumps or as edging to Canna beds, etc. 10c each, any 6 for 50c Coleus, when sent by express (not prepaid), \$6.50 per 100.

BECKWITH'S GEM—Beautiful fancy variety with large leaves of heavy texture and finely scalloped edges; center of leaf dark velvety maroon, bordered with fiery-red; edge is green, changing to creamy-yellow at the point of leaf.

LEOPARD—Greenish-yellow ground thickly dotted and splashed maroon.

CHRISTMAS QUEEN—It is difficult to describe this beautiful new large leaf Coleus. Its coloring is gorgeous and ranges from dark velvety maroon through shades of brown, green, pink and yellow, the combinations of color varying in each plant. Must be seen to be fully appreciated.

DUNERIA—Grandest Coleus of recent years; has a deep velvety texture. Color crimson, maroon center; beautifully scalloped edge of light red; a fine showy bedder.

Hibiscus

GRANDIFLORUS—Rich, glossy foliage; blooms profusely through the summer; literally covering the plants with scarlet-crimson single flowers.

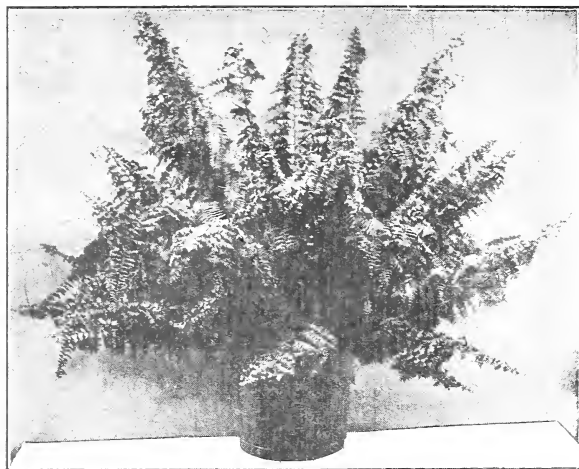
AURANTIACA—Large, double orange-colored flowers. Very novel and attractive.

PEACHBLOW—One of the finest plant novelties offered in recent years; flowers double, from 4 to 5 inches in diameter; charming, rich, clear pink color, with a small deep crimson center; entirely new and most beautiful shade.

Price, 15c each, any 2 for 25c; extra large size at 40c each, 3 for \$1.00.



PEACHBLOW HIBISCUS



ROOSEVELT FERN

The Roosevelt Fern

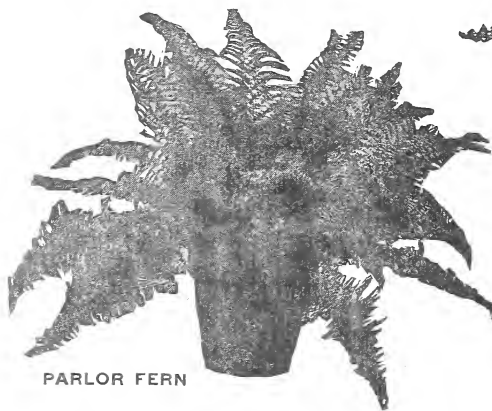
(*Nephrolepis Roosevelt*).—It is our good fortune and great pleasure to offer this wonderful new fern. It stands second in popularity of all the ferns, and will soon be more popular than even the old favorite Boston Fern. In general characteristics it resembles the world-famous Boston Fern but it produces many more fronds than the Boston thus making a bushier handsomer plant. Then the pinnae are beautifully undulated giving the "Roosevelt" a pronounced wavy effect seen in no other Fern. **Fine young plants, 20 cents; strong plants, 50 cents each.**

INDOOR FERNS

Ferns are a valuable addition to any home. They are very decorative and can be grown in vases or baskets or pots. They will thrive in any ordinary living room if given good drainage and kept well watered.

Popular Boston Sword Fern

(*Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis*).—In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is used so extensively as this graceful *Nephrolepis* which differs from the ordinary Fern in having much longer fronds which frequently attain a length of four feet. These fronds arch and droop over very gracefully on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. **Nice plants, 20c each; larger size, 50c; three for \$1.25.**



PARLOR FERN

Parlor Fern

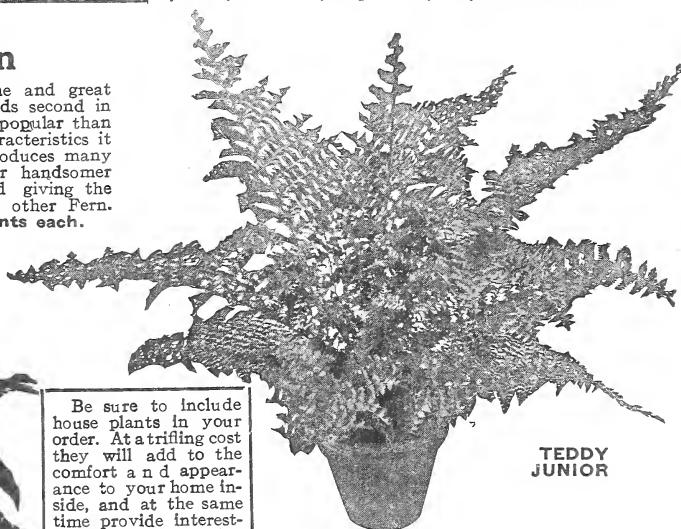
(*Nephrolepis Elegantissima Compacta*).—A dwarf form of *Nephrolepis Elegantissima*, making a dense, bushy, compact mass of foliage. One of the most valuable ferns. **20c each; nice plants, 50c each.**

Teddy Junior

The fronds are broad and are beautifully tapered from base to tip; they droop just enough to make a shapely, graceful plant. The fronds have an attractive wavy appearance, which adds materially to their charming decorative effect. "Teddy" will produce about four times more fronds than any other Fern. It is such a compact, vigorous grower that it will thrive under most adverse conditions, making an exceptionally rapid growth and producing a plant of rare beauty and perfection in the dwelling house without special care or attention. Owing to its habit of producing the great quantity of massive foliage in small pots, this Fern makes the finest pedestal plant ever produced, and will prove indispensable for decorating. **Price, fine young plants, 20 cents each; larger plants, 50 cents each.**

Asparagus Sprengeri

The charming decorative plant. Not only is it useful for cutting in sprays for the cut-flower work, more particularly in connection with large Rose, etc., but grown in suspended pots it makes one of the prettiest decorative house plants we know of. Used in decoration as, for example, in the decorations of mantels, nothing can equal it. **Price, 15c each, three for 40 cents; large plants, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.**

TEDDY
JUNIOR

Be sure to include house plants in your order. At a trifling cost they will add to the comfort and appearance to your home inside, and at the same time provide interesting recreation caring for them.

ASPARAGUS FERN (*Asparagus Sprengeri*)

VEGETABLE SEEDS

We are offering to our customers this year, choice new crops of vegetable and flower seeds. These seeds have been selected because they are the best of their type or kind, and are backed by our reputation gained in over 70 years of honorable business dealings. On their quality and on the success they bring to you depends our entire future business. We want you to have every confidence in our seeds, and to know that they are the best seeds that can be grown.

Remember that regardless of Price, good seeds are cheapest in the long run.



Chantenay
Carrot

Asparagus

BONAVELETT'S GIANT—The earliest and best of all asparagus. They come into bearing fully a year before all other varieties. Delicious flavor. Soak the seed in luke-warm water about twelve hours before planting. (For Asparagus Roots see page 22.) Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid.

Beets

CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN (40 days)—Can be used either for forcing or outside planting. One of the most popular varieties with gardeners because of its fine shape and beautiful dark red, almost black color. This variety matures before any other. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c, postpaid.

DETROIT DARK RED (50 days)—An ideal beet for home use. Is a heavy yielder and fine keeper. Has few side roots, grows to uniform size. Is ideal for pickling. Price: Packet, 10c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

EARLY BLOOD (45 days)—A globe-shaped beet, fine for early spring crop, flesh tender, rich and crisp. This variety has coarse tops and is one of the best. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c, postpaid.

LONG SMOOTH BLOOD (65 days)—This is the finest of the long beets. An ideal table beet and equal in every respect, both in color and flavor to any of the globe-shaped varieties. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c, postpaid.

Beans

OLD HOMESTEAD OR KENTUCKY WONDER (65 days)—An excellent green podded bean of the pole or running variety. It is an enormous producer, the long pods hanging in great clusters along the entire vine. Seed dark brown. Price: Big Pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

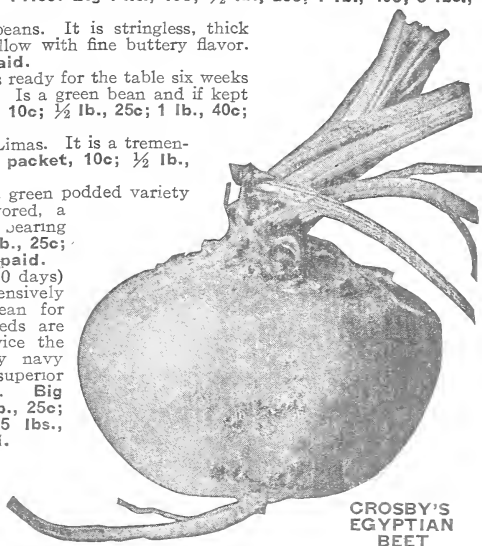
IMPROVED GOLDEN WAX (40 days)—One of the earliest wax beans. It is stringless, thick and pods are of good length. In color it is clear, waxy, golden yellow with fine buttery flavor. Price: Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

EARLY YELLOW (6 weeks) (40 days)—Earliest of all the beans and is ready for the table six weeks from the time of sowing and under favorable conditions in less time. Is a green bean and if kept picked will furnish beans throughout the entire season. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

BURPEE'S BUSH LIMA (65 days)—This is the earliest of the bush Limas. It is a tremendous yielder, grows only 18 inches high. Excellent quality. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

BURPEE'S STRINGLESS GREEN POD—This is the best stringless green podded variety in existence. It is well flavored, a great yielder and has a long bearing season. Big packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.

WHITE MARROW (60 days)
This variety is extensively grown as a field bean for winter use. The seeds are large, white, and twice the size of the ordinary navy bean and is its superior in every way. Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 5 lbs., \$1.85, postpaid.



CROSBY'S
EGYPTIAN
BEET



GOLDEN
IMPROVED
WAX

Carrots

CHANTENAY (60 days)—Best for table use or market gardener's trade. Rich orange color, delicious flavor. Packet, 10c; 1 oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c, postpaid.

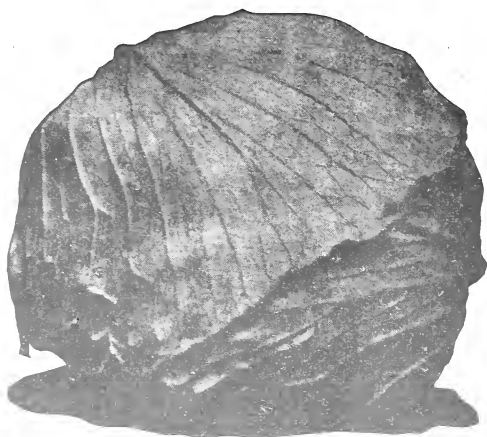
IMPROVED LONG ORANGE (75 days)—Best long variety, heavy yielder, rich deep orange color, standard late variety. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 55c, postpaid.

GUERANDE OR OX HEART (75 days)—Short, chunky variety, good flavor, a favorite. Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 55c, postpaid.

Cauliflower

EARLY SNOWBALL (90 days)—Earliest, sure to head; if seed is sown in March, large heads produced early in June. Good variety for forcing. Pkt., 20c; ¼ oz., 80c; ½ oz., \$1.50, postpaid.

DRY WEATHER OR DANISH GIANT (100 days)
Late variety; drought resister, sure heads, best for pickling. Pkt., 15c; ¼ oz., 80c; ½ oz., \$1.50, postpaid.



HOLLANDER CABBAGE

Cabbage

HOLLANDER OR BALLHEAD (120 days)—The heads are of medium size and very solid, they average in weight nearly 8 pounds. They are just as solid in the spring as when put away in the fall. Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 35c; ¼ lb., 95c, postpaid.

SUREHEAD (100 days)—The main crop variety makes a large solid head and some will grow heads weighing from 10 to 12 pounds. Has good keeping qualities. Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 35c; ¼ lb., 95c, postpaid.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD (75 days)—This is the earliest and hardest heading of the early varieties and should be depended upon for the first crop. Our seed is selected, choice stock. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH (110 days)—This is considered to be the best of the late standard crop varieties. It is a sure header, good keeper, very flat and solid. Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 35c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

Cucumber

CHAMPION PICKLER (68 days)—This is the best, known pickling variety and is generally used by all big pickling factories. It can be relied upon to produce a big crop. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c, postpaid.

IMPROVED WHITE SPINE (55 days)—This variety is rich green in color and very productive. It is a continuous bearer and possibly the best for general use. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

EARLY FORTUNE (52 days)—This is probably the best and finest cucumber introduced. The fruit when matured averages eight inches in length and retain their color for a remarkable length of time. The seed cavities are very small and the vines are very generous and disease resisting. It bears equally as good as the pickling varieties and an enormous yield. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

Endive

LARGE GREEN CURLED (40 days)—Endive is very useful as a salad late in the year. Leaves are also eaten boiled and are very good. Plant them out when six inches high in shallow trenches. Try them this year. Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c, postpaid.

Celery

WHITE PLUME (120 days)—One of the earliest and quickest growing varieties and the most crisp of all. It has white feather-like plumage making it a great table ornament. Price: Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 50c; 1 oz., 90c, postpaid.

GOLDEN SELFBLANCHING (110 days)—This is finest quality seed and as its name implies it is entirely self blanching. The stocks are a rich golden color, stringless and of the finest flavor. Good seed of this variety costs more to grow than ordinary seed and is worth the money. Price: Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 60c; 1 oz., \$1.00, postpaid.

Kohl Rabi

EARLY WHITE VIENNA (50 days)—A useful cousin of the cabbage, in flavor it is very much like a turnip and is in satisfactory table condition during July and August when it is impossible to grow turnips. Use them young. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 30c; ¼ lb., \$1.00, postpaid.

Sweet Corn

GOLDEN BANTAM (60 days)—This variety for the last twenty years has been considered the standard variety of all sweet corn in cultivation. It succeeds well anywhere in the United States, the flavor is exceptionally sweet and pleasing, the ears are eight rowed, six to seven inches long and the sweetest of all corn. Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; 1 lb., 35c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, prepaid.

STOWELL'S EVERGREEN (80 days)—This is an old popular variety, hardy, productive, tender and sugary. It is especially adapted to home use because of its remaining a long time in suitable eatable condition. Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; 1 lb., 35c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, postpaid.

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN (70 days)—This is sometimes known as shoe-peg from the small peg-like kernels, irregularly placed on the cob. Medium sized ear, with small cob, giving great depth to the kernels. The quality of this variety is fine and is preferred by some to all others. Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; 1 lb., 35c; 5 lbs., \$1.50, prepaid.



WHITE SPINE CUCUMBER

August 14, 1923.

SPRING HILL NURSERIES:

Enclosed you will find two pictures of our son Frank. One is taken in our garden that we raised from your seed. He is carrying Crows Egyptian Beets and in the background you will see Golden Bantam Sweet Corn. The other picture is taken with the Nasturtiums he raised himself with your seed. My trees and seeds did fine.

MRS. FRANK ELSER,
Flat River, Mo.

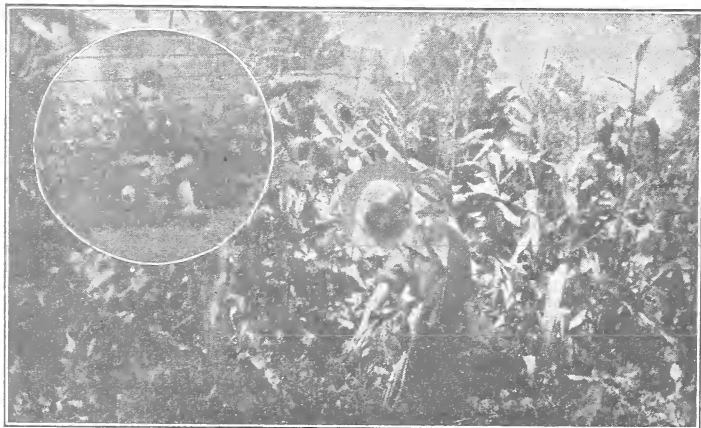
Box 883.

Pleasure and Profit

Mrs. Frank Elser of Flat River, Mo., whose letter appears above, sent us photographs shown to the left. She received a prize of \$5.00 for the pictures as per our offer in last Spring's catalogue. We want more pictures for our catalogue next year.

Just order our "Dollar Collection of Vegetable Seeds" (See inside of Back Cover). For every picture that is sent us, showing this collection of seeds growing in your garden, we will send you a coupon good for 25c in trade for anything in our catalogue. Besides this for every photograph we can use in our catalogue next year, we will pay the sender \$5.00 in cash.

This should make the growing of a fine garden interesting to you this year. There is nothing in the collection that you cannot use, nothing that is not first class as to variety or quality of seed. Order today.



FRANK ELSER, FLAT RIVER, MO., IN HIS GARDEN

Lettuce

BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON (40 days)—The best known and perhaps the most used of any other variety of leaf lettuce. It is very early and hardy with thick curly and very tender leaves. Stands the summer heat well. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid.

GRAND RAPIDS (38 days)—One of the best forcing varieties, but will do equally well outdoors. Similar to the Black Seeded Simpson only the leaves are more crimp and curled. Price, Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid.

BIG BOSTON (45 days)—The most popular variety of head lettuce both North and South. Heads are large and compact, light green with slightly ruffled edges. Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c, postpaid.

PRIZE HEAD (50 days)—Color bright green, is tinged with brownish red. It is of superb flavor, tender and hardy. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

Onions

SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE (120 days)—This variety gets the highest market price. They are good shaped with clear white skin. Should be dried in the shade. Price, Big Pkt., 10c; 1 oz. 30c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

DANVERS YELLOW GLOBE (100 days)—A well known and standard variety, heavy cropper and excellent keeper. Will ripen early and very firm and solid. Big pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

LARGE RED WEATHERSFIELD (100 days)—This is a standard variety in the East. It makes a large sized flat onion, is deep purplish red in color. Flesh is a purplish white, moderately fine grained and strongly flavored. For markets demanding a red onion this is the variety to grow, as it matures early and is productive. Big pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 35c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

PRIZETAKER (100 days)—The largest but also latest maturing. A yellow, American onion, globular in shape with light yellow color. If they are planted in hot beds in early spring and replanted outdoors, onions weighing 4 to 5 lbs. are not uncommon. Big pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 85c, postpaid.

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DWARF MOSS CURLED (65 days)—A compact growing and beautifully curled variety, to be used for either outdoors or greenhouse culture. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid.



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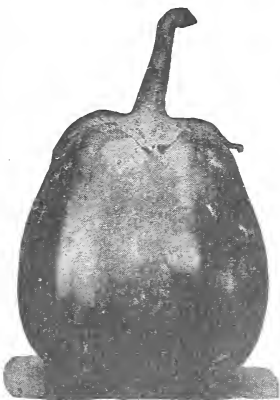
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NEW YORK IMPROVED PURPLE (125 days)—The fruit of this variety is remarkably large, often weighing from 5 to 6 lbs. The skin is a deep purple and is adapted to many soils and conditions. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 40c; 1 oz., 70c, postpaid.

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MAMMOTH RUBY KING (130 days)—The blocky almost scarlet fruits average 4½ inches in length and the flesh is thick and sweet. Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 35c, postpaid.

CHINESE GIANT (130 days)—The largest of all the peppers and early. Grows from four to five inches across at the base and equally as long, divided into four large sections. Fruits are of a thick, chunky form, very thick and meaty. Fine for stuffing and makes excellent salads. Price, Pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 35c, postpaid.



EGG PLANT
N. Y. IMP. PURPLE

Watermelons

TOM WATSON (90 days)—Oblong in shape, rind is very thin, flesh is dark red, very crisp and most delicious. Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

KLECKLEY'S SWEET (70 days)—Skin is rich dark green and the flesh is a bright scarlet and ripens very close to the rind. Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

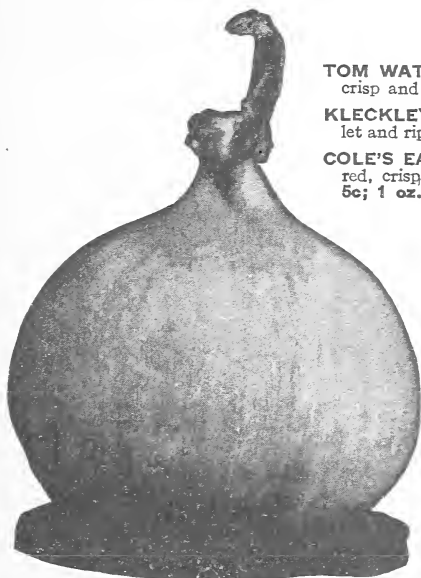
COLE'S EARLY (60 days)—A choice melon for the home garden. The flesh is bright red, crisp, sweet and of fine flavor, of medium size, but solid, with thin rind. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid.

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HUBBARD (65 days)—This is a favorite because of its many good qualities. It keeps well, bakes or boils dry and is very sweet and richly flavored. An excellent market variety for which there is always a ready sale. Price: Pkt., 5 c; 1 oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 65c, postpaid.

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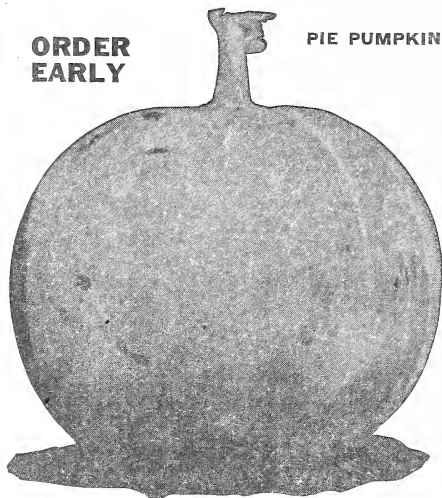
Pumpkins

SUGAR OR PIE (65 days)—This is a handsome and very prolific variety, deep orange yellow, good keeper, sweet in taste and as its name implies is excellent for pies. **Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c, postpaid.**

KENTUCKY FIELD OR LARGE CHEESE (80 days)—A great pumpkin for the market and stock feeding, grows to a very large size. **Price: Packet, 5c; 1 oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c, postpaid.**

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Muskmelons

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OSAGE—Perhaps the most popular salmon fleshed variety grown. Skin very dark green, slightly netted; flesh rich salmon color and very thick and meaty, excellent sweet flavor. Is planted extensively by market gardeners. **Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 55c, postpaid.**

HONEY DEW—New melon; has become very popular. About 10 in. long, 8 in. diameter. Surface smooth without ribs or netting. It is very sweet and has a flavor not found in any other melon. **Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid.**

TIP TOP (80 days)—Very productive melon, medium to large size, nearly round, slightly ribbed, fairly well covered with shallow netting. Flesh is deep yellow. **Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 60c, postpaid.**

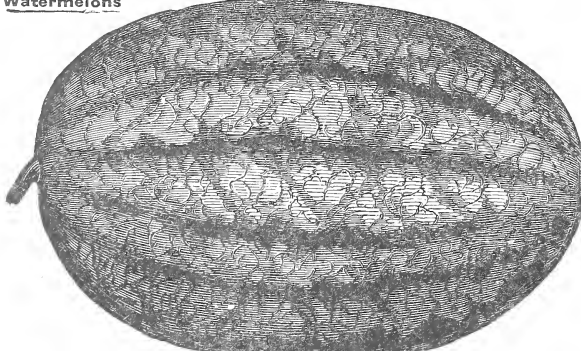
Parsnips

HOLLOW CROWN (85 days)—The roots are very long and end abruptly with a tapered root. Our strain has a very smooth white skin. **Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c, postpaid.**

Salsify or Vegetable Oyster

SANDWICH ISLAND (95 days)—This is often called the oyster plant and is one of the most delicious and nutritious of vegetables as it produces a distinct oyster flavor when cooked. They look something like parsnips and the roots are hardy and can remain outside all winter. Try some of these this year. **Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 35c, postpaid.**

Watermelons



COLE'S EARLY WATERMELON

Peas

LITTLE GEM (55 days)—This is an extra early, wrinkled pea, grows about 15 inches high and is a prolific bearer. **Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; 1 lb., 55c; 5 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid**

FIRST AND BEST (50 days)—The pods of this variety are filled with round, smooth peas of excellent flavor. Very early producer and hardy. Grows to the height of 2½ feet. **Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; 1 lb., 55c; 5 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid.**

HORSFORDS MARKET GARDEN (60 days)—A great, wrinkled, sweet and prolific bearer. Grows to a height of 2 feet and has a very delicious flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; 1 lb., 55c; 5 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid.**

AMERICAN WONDER (55 days)—Early wrinkled pea, growing up to 12 inches high, and producing well filled pods of the finest flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; 1 lb., 55c; 5 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid.**

TELEPHONE (70 days)—This variety is a leader with market gardeners and is very hardy and productive. Pods are 4 to 5 inches long with a fine quality of peas. Grows to a height of about four feet. **Price: Big pkt., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; 1 lb., 55c; 5 lbs., \$2.50, postpaid.**

Spinach

BLOOMSDALE (45 days)—The leaves of this variety are crumpled and very hardy. Will stand out all winter south of the Ohio river, one of the most popular. **Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 20c, postpaid.**

Turnips

PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAVED (55 days)—One of the most popular sorts and is largely grown for market. It is purple or dark red on top with a white base. Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c, postpaid.

EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH (40 days)—An excellent flat turnip, highly flavored and flesh is tender and sweet. Can be grown for a fall crop. Price: Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c, postpaid.

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JOHN BAER TOMATO

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Tomatoes

JOHN BAER (85 days)—This variety grows to a very large size, free from core and is an attractive bright red. It is one of the most profitable varieties, one plant often having from 50 to 70 fruits which ripen evenly and seldom burst. Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

PONDEROSA (110 days)—In addition to its enormous size this tomato is very solid as it has but few seeds. It is a beautiful crimson, solid throughout and is quite early. Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 60c; ¼ lb., \$2, postpaid.

SPARK'S EARLIANA (85 days)—Remarkable for its earliness, large size, uniform shape, attractive red color, and productiveness. The fruit is solid and the quality is all that could be desired. The leading early market variety. Price: Pkt., 10c; 1 oz., 40c; ¼ lb., \$1.25, postpaid.

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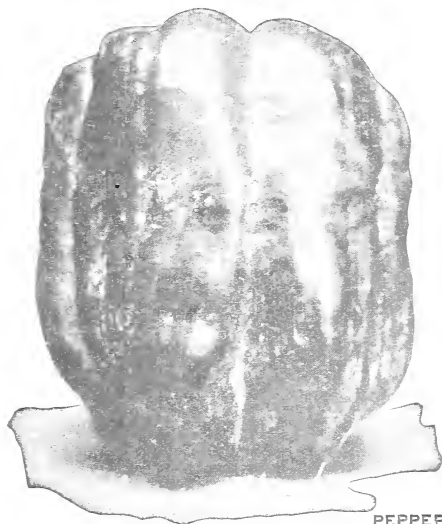
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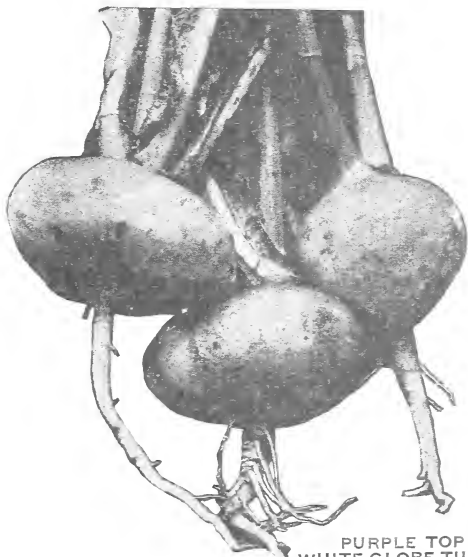
Radish

CININNATI MARKET (28 days)—Very fine extra early variety, bright red and transparent. Very tender and delicious when full grown. Has long smooth root, small top. Pkt., 5c; 1 oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, postpaid.

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Some of the varieties offered here require planting indoors in March, but all of them will repay your efforts with a wealth of bloom all summer long. Our Sweet Peas are especially to be recommended as they are choice stock of the best types. Our Petunias, Hollyhocks, Zinnias, Verbenas and Asters are all good selected types and will make your home grounds a riot of color for a very small outlay. Cultural directions on each packet we send out.

Sweet Alyssum

A fine old fashioned flower appreciated by everyone, especially by those requiring a good pure white edge to their garden or a good plant for rock work or hanging baskets. It grows dwarf and very sweet scented and blooms continuously, one plant often having as high as 100 snow white blooms at one time. Price, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

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Another real old favorite which you can see growing in all the best gardens throughout the country. These plants withstand both wet and drought and produce beautiful stems of every shade and color and continue to bloom in increasing profusion until frost cuts them off. Especially valuable for bedding. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

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ANTIRRHINUM

Candytuft (White Rocket)

One of the oldest annuals in existence and more popular than ever. It grows from 4 to 5 inches high, which makes it an exceptionally fine border plant. It is perfectly hardy, easily grown, extremely fragrant. Is splendid for cut flowers which the plants produce in wonderful profusion throughout the whole season. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

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(Large Flowered Mixed)—One of the easiest grown of the garden annuals. These new sorts form perfect little bushes about 10 inches high by 1 foot across and are a perfect mass of bloom from early summer until cut down by frost. Flowers range in color through yellow, golden and crimson colors. Price, Pkt., 5c; 3 packets for 10c, postpaid.

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Of all the annuals these pretty flowers perhaps hold the leading position. They are beautiful in beds and borders and good for window boxes or cutting. They also make useful pot plants and when used for this purpose they should be sown under glass or indoors. They grow to a height of 1 to 1½ feet. Pkt., 6c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

Dianthus

Positively one of the loveliest of flowers and there is probably no better known flower than this one. They are unequaled for color and fragrance and produce an immense wealth of bloom. A bed of these beautiful flowers will attract the attention of all who see them; for cut flowers they cannot be surpassed. Price, pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

Marvel of Peru (Four O'Clocks)

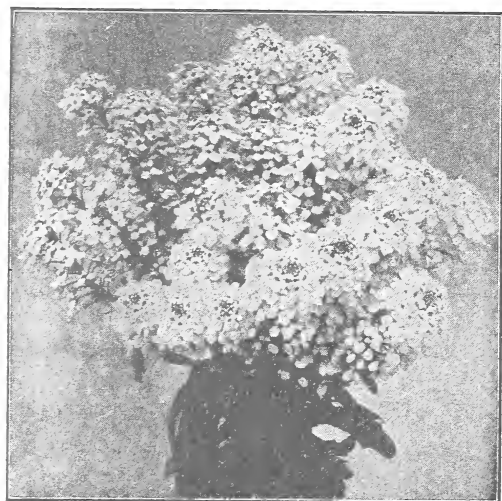
This old time free flowering garden favorite does well in any soil and under almost all conditions. Produces large flowers of many brilliant colors which are at their best during the afternoon when the flowers are fully expanded. Height, 2 feet. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

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One of the easiest flowers to grow and certainly one of the prettiest. It is the Annual Delphinium, grows 1½ to 2 feet high. It is especially fine for cut flowers and produces blue, rose, white, pink, carmine and purple flowers. Do not miss the real pleasure to be derived from these beautiful plants. Price, pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

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Our Mammoth Flowering Mignonette is much superior to the common variety so often bought in the stores. The flowers are a magnificent bright red, extremely show and of enormous size; foliage beautiful rich green. It is a splendid flower for cutting and will remain fresh, and fragrant for ten to twelve days in water in the house. Price, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts. for 10c, postpaid.



CANDYTUFT

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PHLOX DRUMMONDI—An improved giant flowering mixture of Phlox Drummondii. Contains every shade of color and is without doubt the best mixture that can be bought. Be sure to include some of these old favorites in your order. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

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GIANT FLOWERING TALL—This fine strain contains a wealth of color, from crimson and rose to yellow, orange, white, spotted, etc. Very fine for bedding. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

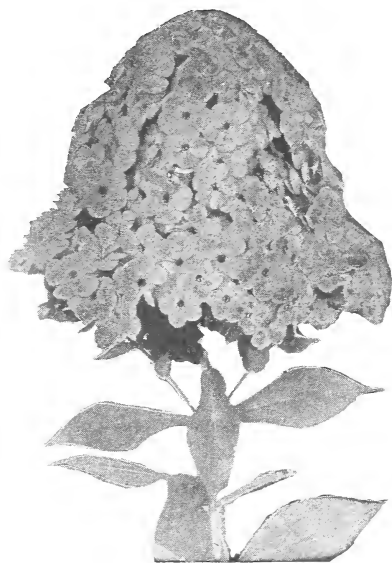
GIANT FLOWERING TOM THUMB—Very best dwarf nasturtium and are among the easiest plants to grow. They reach a height of 10 inches to 1 foot, are completely covered with mammoth flowers measuring from 2 to 3 inches across. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

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SHIRLEY OR GHOST POPPIES—It is impossible to do these flowers full justice in a description. This is a wonderful strain of single poppies which often attain a size of four to five inches across. Individual flowers are exquisitely colored, ranging from pure white to deep blood red. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

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The flowers of this variety are of enormous size with beautiful colorings and markings that are quite beyond description. They include every shade and color from snow white to deep purple. Price, pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.

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This is comparatively a new variety and flowers very quickly from seed. Plants from seed sown in May will bloom in July and will flower profusely until frost. They are very beautifully formed and there is a great variety of colors, including maroon, pink, rose, crimson, white, and scarlet of dainty and exquisite blending. Pkt., 10c; 3 pkts., 25c, postpaid.

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GIANT FLOWERING—These beautiful bedding plants will grow easily from seed and reach a height of from two to three feet. They produce very handsome flowers on long stems specially suitable for cut flowers. Pkt., 5c; 3 pkts., 10c, postpaid.



HOLLYHOCKS



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Most of the bulbs for spring planting produce beautiful blossoms, but some of them are raised principally for the foliage effects. Altogether they are much to be desired, and no garden is complete without dozens of these bulbs. They are all of easy culture and they will grow in most any good garden soil. Of course, like other plants, they will amply repay the caretaker for any extra work bestowed upon them. All of the bulbs that we are offering are first-class and will give good satisfaction. After the first killing frost in the autumn, all of these bulbs should be lifted, allowed to dry off, and then store in a dry place, secure from frost.

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The Cannas with their large, various-colored leaves, easily hold first place for producing a tropical effect on the lawn. Excellent effects may be secured by planting them singly or by planting in small clumps in the hardy, shrubby border. Against a heavy background of green, the bright colored, variously-marked leaves show to their best and are very attractive and interesting. Following kinds, 10c each; 10 for \$1.00; \$7.50 per 100 roots, except where noted.

BLACK PRINCE—Velvety maroon; green foliage; 3 to 4 feet.

GLADIATOR—Yellow spotted; green; 4 feet.

RICHARD WALLACE—Canary yellow; green foliage; 4½ feet.

AUSTRIA—Pure canary yellow; 3 feet.

WYOMING—Orange; foliage purple; 7 feet.

PENNSYLVANIA—Orange scarlet; green; 5 feet.

INDIANA—Golden orange; green foliage; 3 to 4 feet.

SHENANDOAH—Salmon; bronze foliage; 6 ft.

DAVID HARUM—Vermillion scarlet; bronze foliage; 3½ feet.

KING HUMBERT—Orange scarlet; foliage coppery bronze; 5 to 6 feet.

CITY OF PORTLAND—A new variety; green foliage; glowing pink flowers; 3½ feet.

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MRS. ALFRED CONARD—Another new kind. Green foliage. Salmon pink flowers. 4 feet, 25c each; 6 for \$1.20.



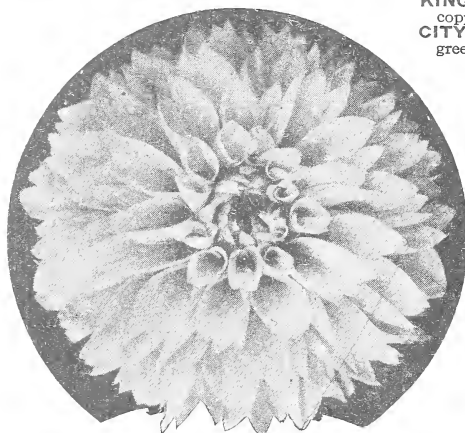
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A splendid old-fashioned flower. This has become a general favorite with everybody and very greatly prized wherever grown. The handsome shadings of these blossoms have no equal and are a delight to all. The bulbs we offer are the best assortment of mixed we have ever offered, made up of the kinds that sell at double the price we are offering here. Mixed Bulbs, No. 1 size, 10 for 75c; 25 for \$1.35; 100 for \$5.00.



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RUBRUM—Handsome, dark, pinkish-red flowers. Extra strong growing sort.

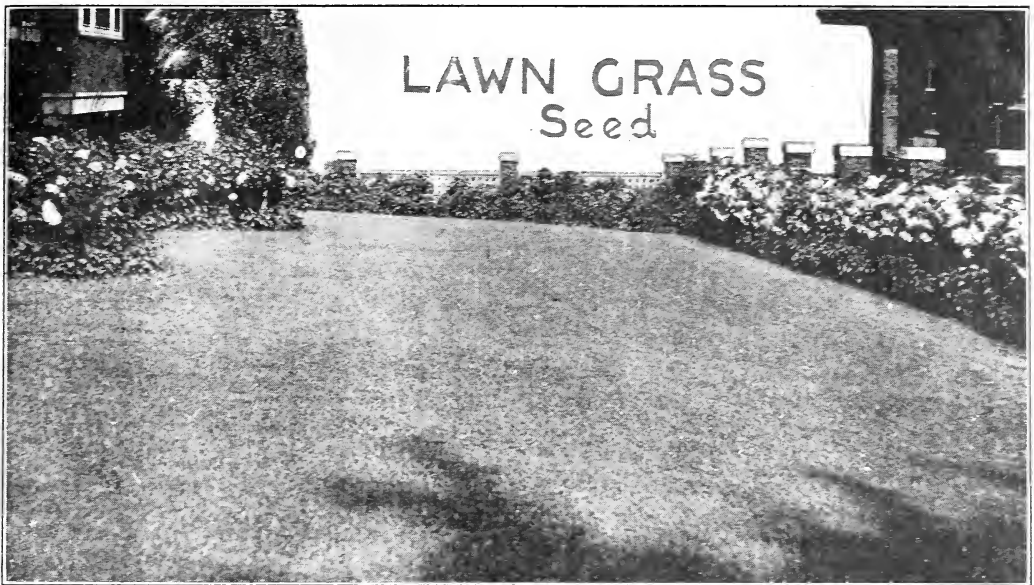
ALBUM—Beautiful white, or nearly white flower.

SPECIOSUM—White, more or less tinted with pink and dotted with red.

Poor stock is expensive at any price; quality is what counts. Serving the same customers for more than forty years is proof that we only offer what we know to be the best.



A BEAUTIFUL BED OF CANNAS



VALUE OF A LAWN

There is nothing more pleasing to the eye, that adds more beauty and value to the home, than a beautiful well-kept lawn. You never get tired of a good lawn and no home is complete without it.

Since it is so important, and since it is to last for years, nothing in its construction should be slighted. By making a good lawn at the start, much worry, labor and expense will be saved by the home owner afterwards.

DO NOT USE SOD—SOW CLEAN SEED

The cost of preparing the ground properly for sod is just about the same as the cost of preparing it for seed. The cost of laying sod is much greater than sowing the seed. The cost of the sod itself, say at .08c a square foot is \$9.00 for 300 square feet, 1 pound of seed is sufficient for 300 square feet, and our price of 55c a pound postpaid, makes the cost of sod just about 17 times as costly.

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We have had unquestionable success with this seed which we have tried out now for a couple of seasons ourselves, and know of one case where one of our customers secured a wonderful stand of grass, and where 3 other sowings of different grasses failed.

RENOVATE YOUR OLD LAWN

If your lawn is thin and patchy sow our Evergreen Mixture at the rate of about one pound to every 600 square feet and press in with a roller, applying this a couple of seasons, and top dress in the winter with well rotted compost and your unsightly lawn can be made beautiful.

Evergreen Mixture For a Good, Clean, Quick Lawn

This mixture is composed of the choicest grasses for lawn purposes, and is especially made to produce a crop of grass very quickly.

We have had where conditions were extremely favorable a good stand ready for the mower in 3 weeks. This mixture contains no trash and is adapted to either clay, sandy or loam soil, and should be applied at the rate of 1 pound to 300 square feet, or in the case of renovating old lawn 1 pound to 600 square feet, depending upon how thin the grass is. Price per pound, 55c, postpaid; 4 pounds for \$2.10, postpaid by freight or express; 10 pounds at \$5.00; 20 pounds at \$9.50.

Shady Nook Mixture

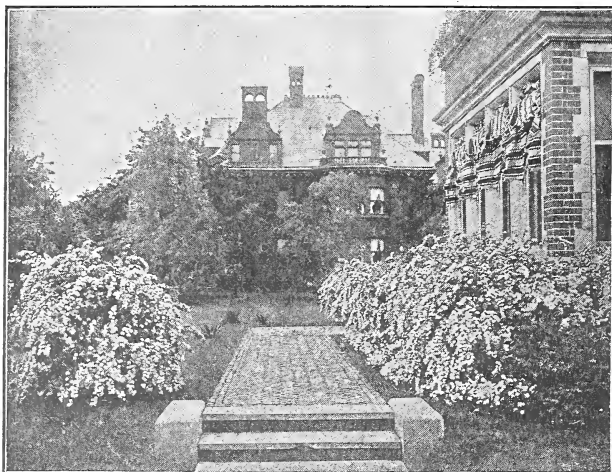
Have you a lawn that is shaded by trees? If so try a few pounds of our Shady Nook Grass Mixture which is just what you need in order to raise a patch of fine, compact, velvety grass under such conditions. Shaded ground often becomes sour and in this case it would be necessary to give it an application of air slacked lime before seeding, applied at the rate of 25 pounds for 500 square feet. Seed at the rate of 1 pound to about 250 square feet. Price per pound, 60c; 4 pounds for \$2.25, postpaid.

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White Dutch Clover

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For Ordinary Sized Home Grounds

To the owner of the ordinary sized grounds, desirous of beautifying them according to the best principles of Landscape Gardening, or who merely wish to get advice on planting around the house foundation, we offer our Landscape Service by mail.

Send us a rough sketch of your grounds locating walks, house and other buildings, drive, fences, lot lines, trees and all permanent objects. This sketch should show all the principal dimensions, such as the size of the lot, distance of house from lot lines, direction the house faces, good or bad views and any other information that might have a bearing on the subject.

Photographs, when convenient to send, will be of assistance to us.

From this information we will draw you a Landscape Plan made up especially for your home grounds, showing you what to plant and where to plant it. These plans will prove very valuable to our customers as they will insure you against making costly mistakes, and will make your home one to be proud of, with flowers from spring till frost.

A plan for laying out grounds properly is as necessary as a plan for building a house. Remember that a mistake made in the beginning will cost many times more than the cost of a plan, besides causing delay in securing results.

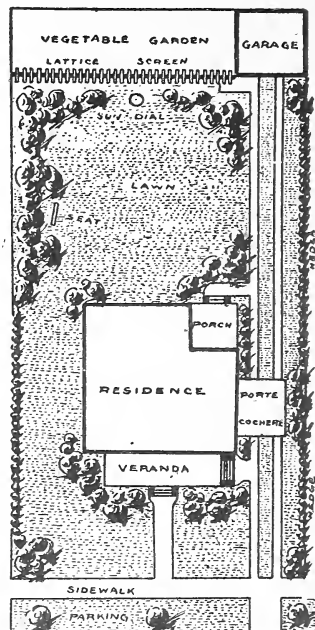
These plans will answer the questions of what, where and how to plant as applied to your own grounds.

When the sketch is sent to us remit two dollars (\$2.00), for which we will at once send a coupon for the amount, and this coupon will be accepted by us as part payment on an order amounting to \$10.00 or more. We wish to impress upon the minds of our customers that this is not a scheme of any kind by which we are receiving pay for the sketch, but it is done only as a safeguard against some curious persons who would impose upon us and ask for plans with little or no intention of making use of them. These plans we furnish are not stock plans; but you will receive a plan made especially for your own grounds. The planting arrangement is worked out by our Landscape Architects to meet the requirements of your place.

We make plans for the surrounding of the humblest little cottage as well as the extensive and elaborate estate, public parks, factory grounds, schools, universities, sanitariums, etc. We furnish plans by mail, or, when desired will send a landscape gardener to do the work or instruct you how to do it. Our terms for this class of work are always very reasonable.

The above arrangement applies principally to home grounds of moderate size and not to extensive or elaborate grounds where a large amount of work is involved. We are prepared also, to do this class of work and solicit correspondence from parties desiring such work.

Address All Correspondence to
A. J. Vocke, Manager Landscape Dept.



A Pleasing Arrangement for Planting the Ordinary City Lot.



A HOME PLANTED TO ORNAMENTALS.

FILL OUT THIS SHEET WHEN SENDING US YOUR PLAN

A. J. VOCKE, Mgr. Landscape Dept.
 SPRING HILL NURSERIES,
 TIPPECANOE CITY, OHIO.

GENTLEMEN:—On other side of this sheet is a sketch of my grounds I wish to improve and I shall be pleased to receive a plan from you as per offer in catalog. I enclose \$2.00 (currency) for which you are to send me a coupon good for this amount on my first order amounting to \$10.00 or over.

Yours truly,

Name _____

Street and No. _____ Town _____ State _____

Suggestions are always a help to us in preparing a plan that will meet the local conditions and individual tastes of every person, so kindly answer the following questions:

Do you prefer natural effects? _____

Do you prefer formal effects? _____

Do you prefer we use our own judgment? _____

Do you want us to locate walks? _____

Do you want a rose bed? _____

Do you want any hedges? (Where?) _____

Do you want an Arbor or Pergola? _____

Do you want us to locate trees? _____

Do you want fruit trees? _____

Do you want any particular kind of trees? _____

Do you want a vegetable garden? (If so, where do you prefer it?) _____

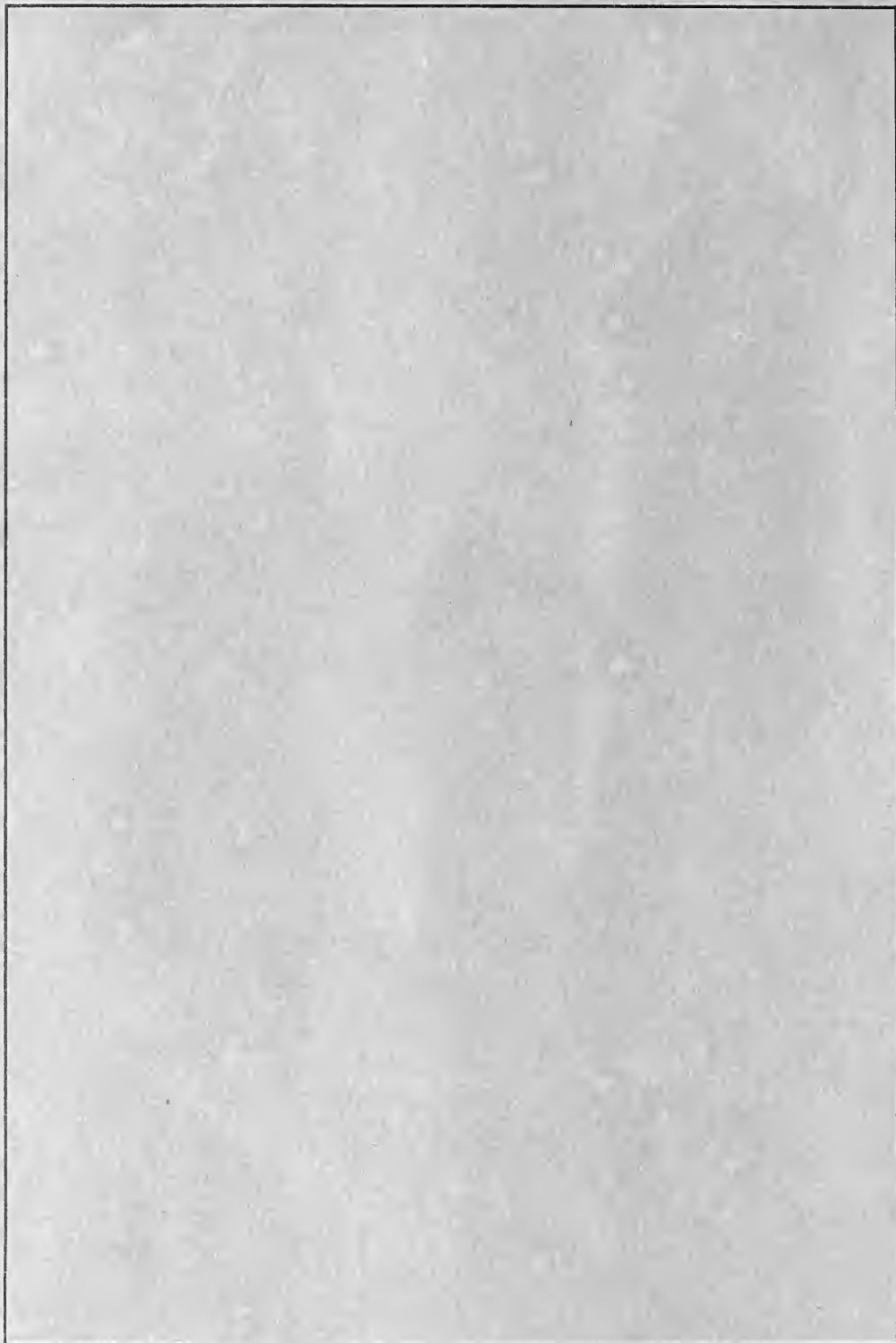
About what sum do you wish to spend for plants? _____

This last question is a very important one, owing to many having quite large lawns, yet do not desire to plant any great amount of flowers. If we know about the amount you wish to invest in flowers we will arrange the plantings accordingly.

WRITE HERE ANY OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT PLANS

USE THIS SHEET WHEN SENDING US YOUR SKETCH

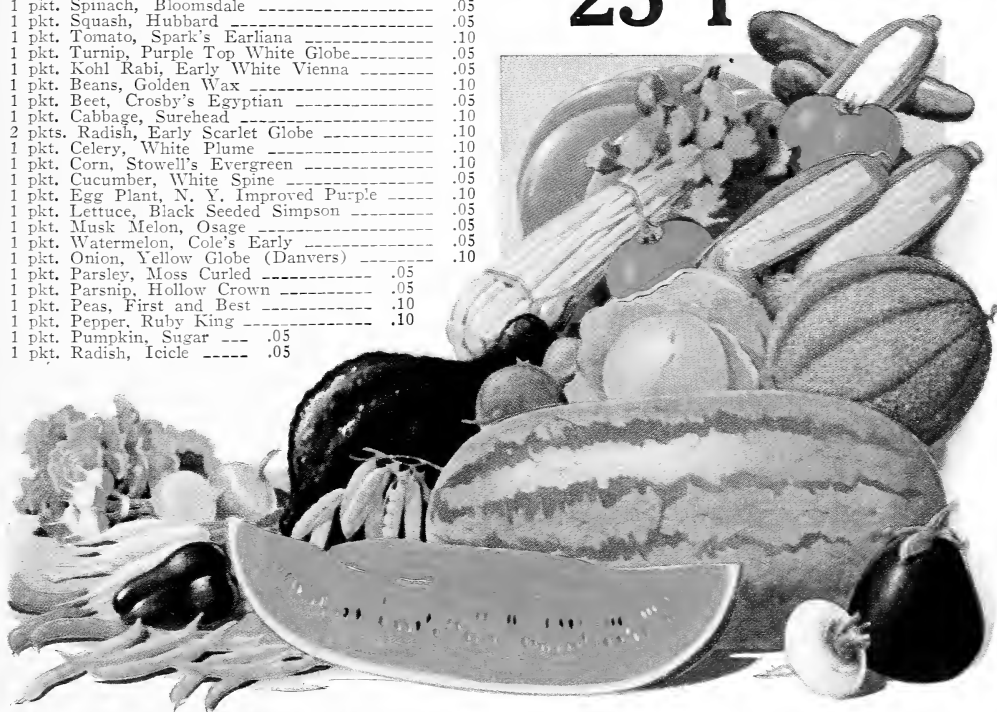
REMEMBER Your sketch should give all the principal dimensions, location of drives, walks, buildings, trees and all permanent objects. It should give the directions North, South, East and West, good or bad views, and should show all grades of any importance.



\$1.75 Worth of Seeds for \$1.00 Postpaid

1 pkt. Salsify or Vegetable Oyster	\$.10
1 pkt. Spinach, Bloomsdale	.05
1 pkt. Squash, Hubbard	.05
1 pkt. Tomato, Spark's Earliana	.10
1 pkt. Turnip, Purple Top White Globe	.05
1 pkt. Kohl Rabi, Early White Vienna	.10
1 pkt. Beans, Golden Wax	.05
1 pkt. Beet, Crosby's Egyptian	.05
1 pkt. Cabbage, Surehead	.10
2 pkts. Radish, Early Scarlet Globe	.10
1 pkt. Celery, White Plume	.10
1 pkt. Corn, Stowell's Evergreen	.10
1 pkt. Cucumber, White Spine	.05
1 pkt. Egg Plant, N. Y. Improved Purple	.10
1 pkt. Lettuce, Black Seeded Simpson	.05
1 pkt. Musk Melon, Osage	.05
1 pkt. Watermelon, Cole's Early	.05
1 pkt. Onion, Yellow Globe (Danvers)	.10
1 pkt. Parsley, Moss Curled	.05
1 pkt. Parsnip, Hollow Crown	.05
1 pkt. Peas, First and Best	.10
1 pkt. Pepper, Ruby King	.10
1 pkt. Pumpkin, Sugar	.05
1 pkt. Radish, Icicle	.05

25 PACKETS



"Dollar" Vegetable Seed Collection



FLOWERS ALL SUMMER 40 CENTS

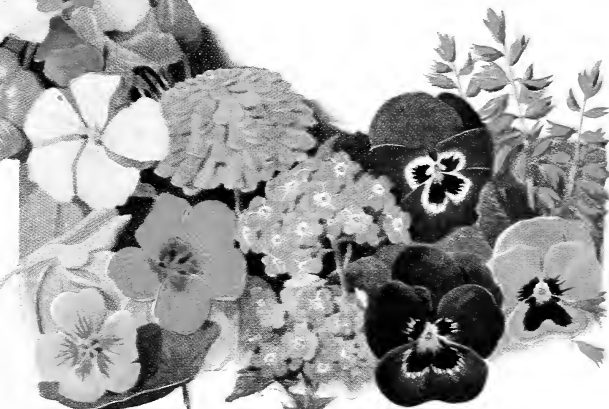
1 pkt. Giant Butterfly Pansies	\$.15
1 pkt. Salvia or Scarlet Sage	.15
1 pkt. Grandiflora Mixed Sweet Peas	.05
1 pkt. Nasturtiums Tall Mixed	.05
1 pkt. Giant Flowering Zinnias	.05
1 pkt. Comet Asters	.10
1 pkt. Phlox Drummondii	.05
1 pkt. Petunias Model Mixed	.10
1 pkt. Snap Dragon	.10

Important Notice

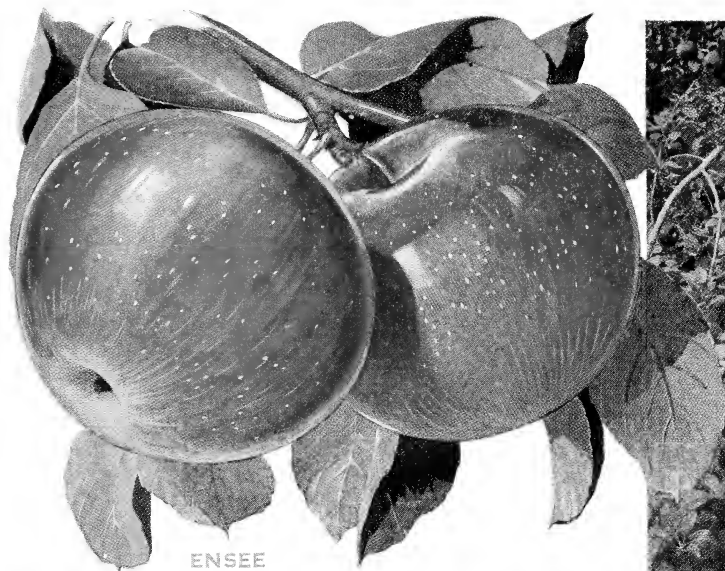
We want some good photographs of our Dollar Vegetable Seed collection growing on the grounds of our customers.

To every customer, sending us a photograph of this collection growing in a garden, we will issue a certificate good for 25c in trade.

For every photograph we use in our next year's catalog we will pay the sender \$5.00 in cash in addition to his certificate.



Flower Seed Collection - 40 cents



ENSEE



A Well Laden Branch

ENSEE APPLES *Unsurpassed in Excellence*

This splendid apple, though but little known to the general public, is one among the very best that we have ever known, and we predict that it will in a few years be in the lead of many that are now regarded as the best varieties.

F. H. Ballou, Sec. Ohio Horticultural Society, says: "It is remarkable, in this era of extravagant praise and lavish use of brilliant hued printers' ink in illustrating new varieties of fruit, that so excellent an apple as the Ensee should be so unproclaimedly discovered, and so quietly and locally propagated, planted, grown and marketed, that comparatively few orchardists are aware of its existence. For, in the estimation of the small number of apple growers who are familiar with the Ensee, as well as that of the writer, nature has not, within the past quarter of a century bestowed upon fruit culturists a new, late-keeping winter apple possessing quite so many attributes of unusual merit."

Ensee Apples Bring Highest Prices

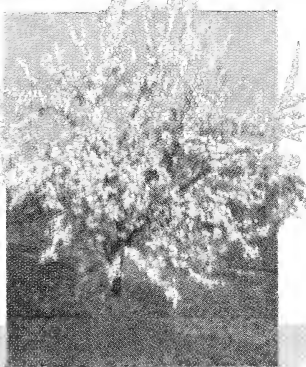
Mr. U. T. Cox of Lawrence Co., Ohio, recognized as one of the leading commercial fruit growers of his region, sold his 1922 crop of Ensee Apples at \$8.00 per barrel, against \$4.50 per barrel for the pick of all his other varieties.

Writing further, Mr. Cox says that this variety produces practically no culls, and out of 300 barrels only 2 barrels of Ensees graded under two inches in diameter.

Wonderful Quality, Long Keeper

This variety has a flavor all its own, very juicy, and never gets dry or mealy, even after being kept in cold storage a year. Its crispness, high quality, hardness and productivity make it one of the best, if not the best apple offered for sale today.

We have this variety in both one and 2 year trees, and as a special inducement to our customers, we offer them at the same prices we offer our other varieties. (See page 3 for prices.)



A Thrifty Young Orchard and a Tree in Full Bloom